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SHIT
HMPH
YOU WIN
THERE'S NO ONE WHO CAN BEAT ME
Rapt
HEY
IN THIS DUMPY LITTLE TOWN
RIGHT MU-CHAN?
IF YOU GET TOO CARRIED AWAY AND YELL OUT, WON'T THAT WEIRD GUY COME OVER?
Fu
WHO CARES
Idiot...
HE'S REALLY A WIMP...

Vol.1

SHIKI NO JU-NIN

UM...
THEN DO IT WITH ME
WHAT?
WHO ARE YOU?
KIKUCHI NANAKO
COME ON, PLAY AGAINST ME
WHOA, SHE CAME RIGHT OUT WITH IT..
IT'S ALREADY PAST 9, WE HAVE TO GO HOME
OKAY...
NANA-CHAN
WHAT A WEIRD GIRL...
MAINE

WE'VE STILL GOT TIME
BUT...
THEN YOU GO HOME NOW, I'LL COME LATER
EH, BUT...
HEY
ARE WE DOING THIS OR NOT?
AH, WE ARE
NOW THAT I LOOK AT HER, SHE'S PRETTY CUTE
I GUESS, YOU LIKE THAT TYPE?

OH MY, THANKS
You're making me blush, Q n n
THAT HAIR OF YOURS IS AMAZING
SUCH A PRETTY GREEN COLOUR
THEN HOW ABOUT ASKING HER OUT AFTER-WARDS?
Heh
JUST KIDDING, THOUGH IT WOULD BE NICE
WHO'RE YOU?
QUIT WHILE YOU'RE AHEAD, NANA-CHAN'S REALLY STRONG
SO IF I WIN
OKAY
Hehe
HOLD UP A MOMENT
SHOULDN'T WE BET SOMETHING?

GIVE ME THAT WATCH
WHAT DO YOU WANT?
OKAY
YAY
HM
WHAT'LL IT BE?
MAINE
D... DON'T SAY ANYTHING PERVERTED!

FINE, THEN I'LL GO WITH THAT!
SAY SEX IF YOU WANT TO, I DON'T CARE...
THE GUYS WHO GO UP AGAINST NANA-CHAN ALWAYS SAY THOSE SORT OF THINGS
PERVERTED STUFF?
What?
FIGHT
Sigh
WELL
I'M A VIRGIN TOO
Ha ha ha
BUT I'LL SAY THIS ONCE
I'M STILL A VIRGIN
DO YOU GET WHAT I'M SAYING?
DOESN'T UNDERSTAND AT ALL

I GOT MYSELF A WATCH
HAHA
STILL GOING BACK TO THAT GAME CENTRE?
THAT BITCH... SHE WAS REALLY STRONG...
RATTLE
RATTLE
OF COURSE, I'M GETTING THAT WATCH BACK
GOD DAMN IT...

SEE YOU TOMO-RROW
おばちゃん
OBACHO OBACHO
SURE
WON'T IT BE BAD IF YOU DON'T GO TO CRAM SCHOOL
I GUESS PROBABLY
ジャリ
"I GOT MYSELF
A WATCH"

SHIT
I'M BACK
203
Honda
WHERE HAVE YOU BEEN AT THIS HOUR?

"WHERE" ...CRAM SCHOOL
EMI! TURN DOWN THE TV
YES MUM
I GOT A CALL FROM THE CRAM SCHOOL
HEHEHE YOU GOT CAUGHT
CHIAKI I GET THE FEELING YOU'RE SLACKING OFF AGAIN
Sorry Mama...
YEAH, I'LL GO TOMORROW, I PROMISE
CUT IT OUT, YOU DON'T MEAN THAT
HAHAHA TRUE

WELL, YOU'VE GIVEN UP ON YOUR STUDIES
BUT PLEASE DO SOMETHING ABOUT THAT HAIR OF YOURS
HAVEN'T YOUR TEACHERS SAID ANYTHING?
It's an embarrassment to your mother
Why did it have to be green...
THEY DO
EVEN TEACHERS OTHER THAN MY HOME-ROOM ONE
Mum that rose sent contrived.
HOMEROOM TEACHER... AAH, HER
IN THE END ALL SHE THINKS ABOUT IS HER PREGNANCY
AND JUST LIKE THAT I TRY TO SHIFT THE BUCK
"HONDA-KUN"
"YOU KNOW ABOUT MY CIRCUM-STANCES AT THE MOMENT, RIGHT"
"COULD YOU NOT SMOKE THAT AT SCHOOL?"
HOW COULD SHE SAY THAT!

AH
I WONDER IF THEY'D LET HIM DROP OUT OF SCHOOL ...
MAMA, CHIAKI'S IN MIDDLE SCHOOL
BUT MAMA WORRIES ABOUT HIM...
OH MY, LOOK AT THE TIME!
I HAVE TO GO TO THE BAR
DYE YOUR HAIR BACK TO BLACK CHIAKI
AND YOU MUST QUIT SMOKING
MAKE SURE YOU LOCK THE DOOR OK?
AND I'M OFF
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WE WILL BE ARRIVING MOMENTARILY
THE UPCOMING TURN IS TIGHT
PLEASE TAKE CARE

タタン
PLEASE TAKE CARE
MY ARSE
HOW AM I SUPPOSED TO DO THAT
タタン
HUH ?
WHAT THE HELL
NO WAY
SOME-ONE'S
TOUCHING ME UP

AA—!
SHIT
IT'S EARLY MORNING SO
IT'S GOTTA BE SOMEONE SHAMELESS
AA—!...
HEY, HEY ...
UWAH
HE'S EVEN GOING THE FINGER ...
FU
カンカンカン...
FUCKING IDIOT
YOU'RE GOING TO PAY FOR THIS
YOU'RE GOING TO

I FEEL LIKE
SOMEONE'S PLAYTOY
Hah
COME ON, JUST DO WHAT-EVER IT IS YOU WANT TO DO ALREADY
THIS IS SO UNCOOL ...
HAH
WE WILL SOON BE ARRIVING IN NISHIGAOKA, NISHIGAOKA
I...
I DIDN'T EVEN DO ANYTHING?
DID HE JUST
にしがおか
西ヶ丘
Nishigaoka
Line
Time table
HEY ...
Uh
Uah

PLEASE ENSURE YOU HAVE ALL YOUR POSSESSIONS WHEN EXITING THE TRAIN
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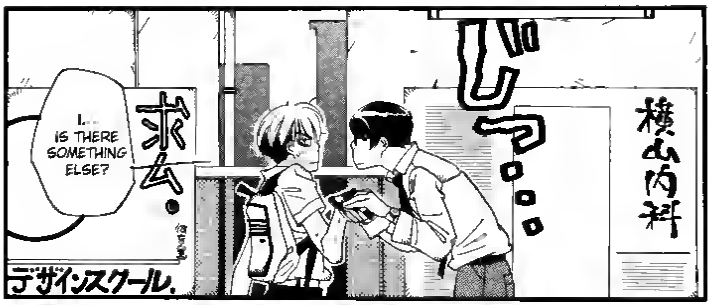
PLEASE TAKE CARE
AS THE DOORS CLOSE
WHAT JUST HAPPENED
I CAN'T BELIEVE IT...
I

EW
S...
SO GROSS
EXCUSE ME
YOU, WITH THE GREEN HAIR
EH?
...
WHAT?
Weird hair
Weird sun-glasses
YEAH
YOU, YOU

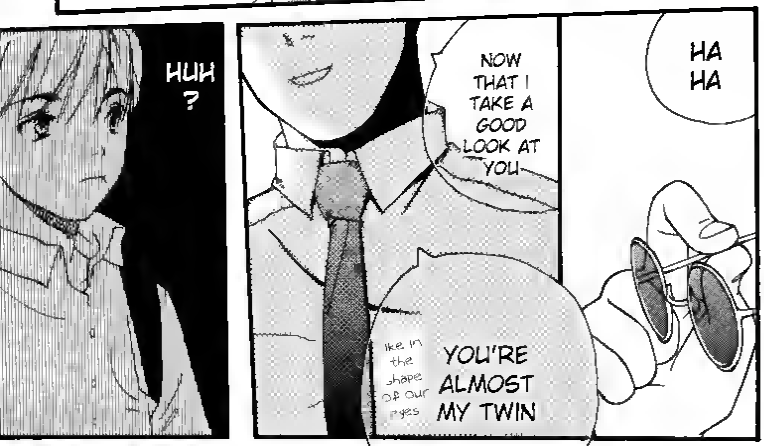
?
WHO IS THIS GUY
EH, WELL, THERE'S SOMETHING STICKY ON YOUR ARSE, BUT IT'S WHITE SO
IF I HAD TO GUESS, I'D SAY IT'S PROBABLY-
WHITE ...?
ぴと
ごそごそ
WH, WHAT THE HELL IS THIS!!
A~H I TOLD YOU NOT TO TOUCH IT

HANDKE-RCHIEF?
MY HANDK-ERCHIEF
HERE
SO THAT'S WHAT IT WAS
How could he do that!
He was really first
FUCK ...
GOD DAMN IT...
.....
ヤバ!
YOU DON'T WANT THAT ON YOUR ARSE FOREVER DO YOU

WHAT THE HELL'S WITH THIS BASTARD
WHA
WHAT DID YOU SAY
THANKS ...
HEY THERE
MONEY FIRST!
YOU CAN THROW IT OUT ONCE YOU'VE USED IT
HERE YOU GO
IT'S A JOKE!
NOW NOW
I WAS KIDDING
DON'T BE ANGRY, DON'T BE ANGRY
HE'S SERIOUSLY PISSING ME OFF..


じっ…
横山内科
ポム
I... IS THERE SOMETHING ELSE?
デザインスクール。

OH MY, NO WAY


HUH ?
NOW THAT I TAKE A GOOD LOOK AT YOU
HA HA
like in the shape of our eyes
YOU'RE ALMOST MY TWIN

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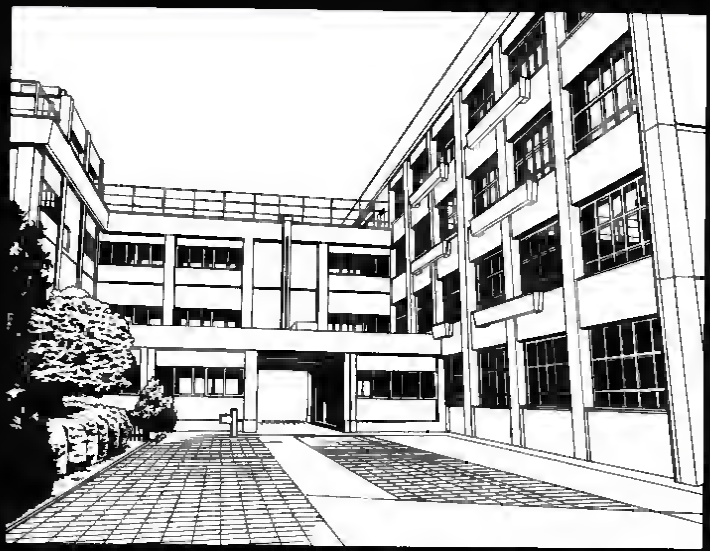
"EH...



AS I'VE BEEN TELLING YOU ALL FOR A WHILE NOW"

STARTING NEXT WEEK
I'LL BE ON MATERNITY LEAVE
WELL
HM
WHAT, HAVE YOU STOPPED PLAYING GAMES?
OF COURSE YOU'LL HAVE A SUBSTITUTE TEACHER COMING IN
AH... THERE'S SOME PRETTY BIG ONES OVER THERE TOO RIGHT
THEY JUST BUILT A NEW ONE, IT'S A BIT FAR
I HAVEN'T BEEN GOING THERE LATELY
BUT I'VE BEEN GOING THERE

BUT YOU KNOW
I LOST FOR THE FIRST TIME EVER THE OTHER NIGHT
WHAT!! THE UNRIVALLED EMPEROR LOST!?
HAH
IT DOESN'T MATTER, I KNOW
I'M JUST IGNORANT OF THE REAL WORLD
どうだっていいなんて
BUT... TO LOSE TO A GIRL ON THE RAG LIKE THAT...
WHY DO YOU KNOW THAT?
WELL... EVEN IN THE WORST CONDITIONS I NEVER THOUGHT SHE'D WIN ...

SHE'S THE STRONGEST IN THE WORLD, NO DOUBT ABOUT IT
...IGNORANT OF THE REAL WORLD...
Yeah, Yeah
What is?
IT'S A METAPHOR!! A WHAT IF, A WHAT IF!
3年1組
PERIODS AND GAMES HAVE NO BEARING ON EACH OTHER...
COME AND SEE FOR YOURSELF NEXT TIME KO-CHAN
I'm really sad I have to leave you but please get along with your new teacher
Eh, the truth is...
NO BUT SERIOUSLY
UNTIL THE END OF CLASS I GUESS
I'M SO GLAD I COULD BE THIS CLASS'S HOME ROOM TEACHER
BY THE WAY, HOW LONG IS SHE GOING TO KEEP BADGERING ON?

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FOR REAL ...
MU-CHAN WILL BE WAITING FOR ME
"MU-CHAN", DO YOU MEAN MURAKAMI MUNEHARU?
YEAH, SHE'S MOVED TO THAT M DISTRICT
BOW
3年1組
WELL, THE TIME HAS COME SO THIS IS THE END
BEST OF LUCK EVERYONE
I WON'T BE BACK IN TIME FOR YOUR GRADUATION BUT...
KEEP YOUR SPIRITS UP OKAY
GOODBYE SENSEI
キーンコーンカーンコーン

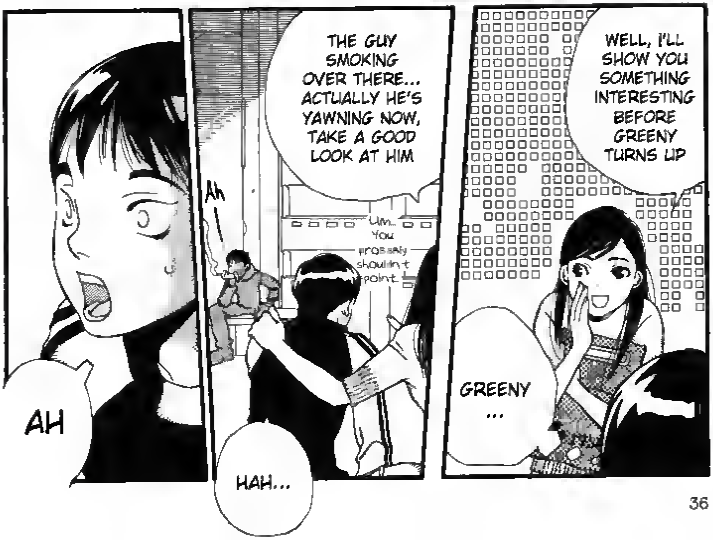
OH
SO YOU'RE GOING TOO KO-CHAN?
YEAH

HEY HONDA!!
I HAVEN'T SEEN MURAKAMI IN A WHILE EITHER
I WANT TO MEET A FEMALE GAMER
WHAT'S UP?
"WHAT'S UP"? DON'T GIVE ME THAT! IT'S YOUR HAIR!!

WHAT ON EARTH WERE YOU THINKING
WELL...
"I WONDER IF THIS COLOUR WOULD BE BETTER FOR PHOTOSYNTHESIS", SOMETHING LIKE THAT
DON'T SAY SUCH STUPID THINGS!
Idiot!!
MY HAIR...
I TOLD YOU TO DYE IT BACK TO YOUR NATURAL COLOUR, NOT THIS WEIRD GREEN
THEN
PULL YOUR HEAD IN AND STUDY!!
EH, WELL, I GUESS IT'S BECAUSE EDUCATION'S COMPULSORY
WHY DO YOU EVEN TURN UP
IN SCHOOL YOU'RE INDIFFERENT, YOU SMOKE, YOU DYED YOUR HAIR THAT COLOUR

WHAT... ISN'T CHIAKI HERE YET...
AH
WHERE'S THE BOY WITH THE GREEN HAIR FROM BEFORE? ISN'T HE COMING?
!!
HOW ABOUT PLAYING WITH ME?
WELL, I GUESS I'LL WASTE SOME TIME ON THIS

YOU DON'T GO TO THE SAME SCHOOL?
NOPE
WELL... SOMETIMES AFTER SCHOOL'S FINISHED
DO YOU ALWAYS PLAY TOGETHER?
I THINK HE'LL BE HERE SOON


AH
Ah
Um... You probably shouldn't point...
THE GUY SMOKING OVER THERE... ACTUALLY HE'S YAWNING NOW, TAKE A GOOD LOOK AT HIM
HAH...
GREENY ...
WELL, I'LL SHOW YOU SOMETHING INTERESTING BEFORE GREENY TURNS UP

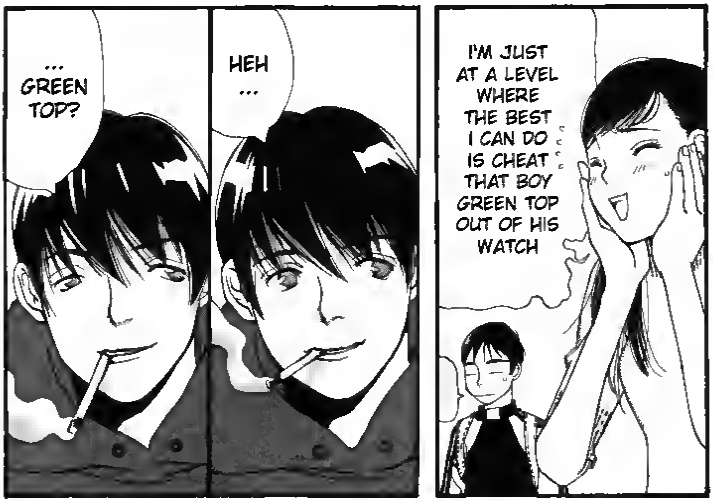
DOESN'T HE LOOK EXACTLY LIKE GREENY?
Like the droopy eyes.
NOW THAT YOU MENTION IT I DO KINDA SEE IT...
AH, HE'S ON THE MOVE
AH... HE'S AT A ONE-ON-ONE GAME...
ALRIGHT, I'M GOING TO BUTT IN
Ah...

職員室
I'VE HAD ENOUGH, DO YOU WANT ME TO CALL YOUR PARENTS?
WELL, DO YOU?
DIE! BALDY!!
DYE YOUR HAIR BLACK IF YOU DON'T WANT ME TO CALL HER
I DON'T HAVE PARENTS!
I KNOW YOUR MUM'S STILL AROUND
Little liar
……
You Lose

WHAT IS THIS... THIS MAN
HE'S SO STRONG...
AH, HEY, HAVE YOU GOT A MOMENT
You Lose
EH
SORRY. COULD YOU GET ME AN ASHTRAY?

THANK YOU, THANK YOU
...SURE
TOHOHO... I'M ALREADY HIS APPRENTICE
ME?
YEAH YEAH
NAH, IT'S JUST THAT YOU'RE STILL YOUNG RIGHT?
HEY... YOU'RE REALLY STRONG MISTER

WHAT AN AMAZING ABOUT FACE...
My praise of her is
NO, NO, IT'S NOT JUST THAT, YOU'RE REALLY, REALLY SKILLED!
IT'S JUST THE DIFFERENCE IN OUR LIFE EXPERIENCES
I'M PRETTY OLD

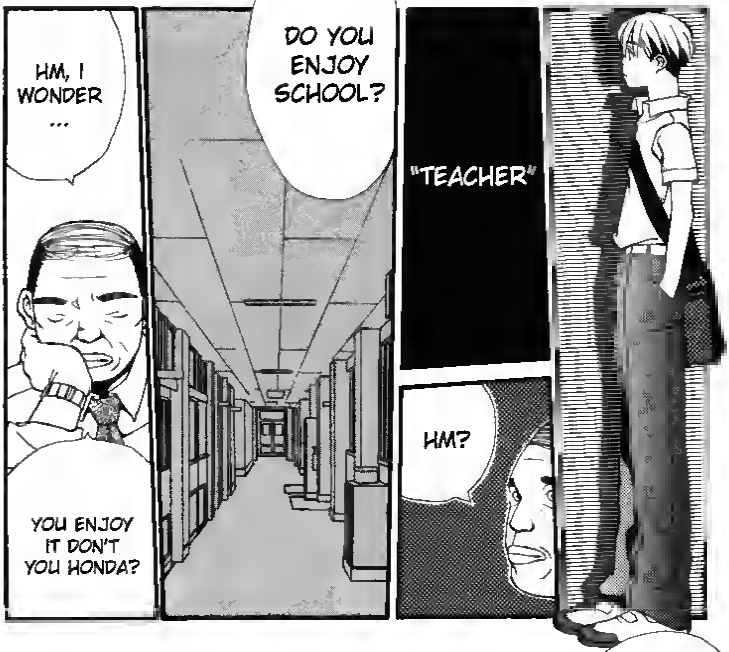

... GREEN TOP?
HEH ...
I'M JUST AT A LEVEL WHERE THE BEST I CAN DO IS CHEAT THAT BOY GREEN TOP OUT OF HIS WATCH

I MET SOME GUY WITH A WEIRD HAIR COLOUR TOO
GREEN HAIR
AND A FACE JUST LIKE MINE
THAT'S ...
GREENY...
HE'S EVEN GOT A CUTE NAME
NOT EXACTLY ...
HIS REAL NAME IS CHIAKI
Eh? It is?
GREENY?

職員室
TEACHER
WELL
EITHER WAY IT'S A CUTESY NAME
CAN I GO HOME YET?
NO
Shit.
HONDA
HAVE YOU REFLECTED ON YOUR ACTIONS EVEN A LITTLE?
I HAVE, TO THE BEST OF MY ABILITY

IF YOU WANT TO SMOKE AND DYE YOUR HAIR
BECOME AN ADULT AND THEN YOU CAN DO BOTH
THEN DYE YOUR HAIR BACK TO BLACK
AND QUIT SMOKING
STUDY DILIGENTLY, ENTER HIGH SCHOOL, GRADUATE AND YOU'LL BE ONE IN NO TIME
GO AND GET ME SOME TEA
HEY
HOW CAN I BECOME AN ADULT QUICKLY?
HM?

That's not funny


HM, I WONDER ...
DO YOU ENJOY SCHOOL?
"TEACHER"
HM?
YOU ENJOY IT DON'T YOU HONDA?

A TOP UP PLEASE
.....
YOU JUST DO WHAT-EVER YOU WANT

TEACHER, I'VE GOT TO GO TO CRAM SCHOOL NOW
LIAR
トン
MAKE IT LIKE A GOOD BOY
ピポピポポ...
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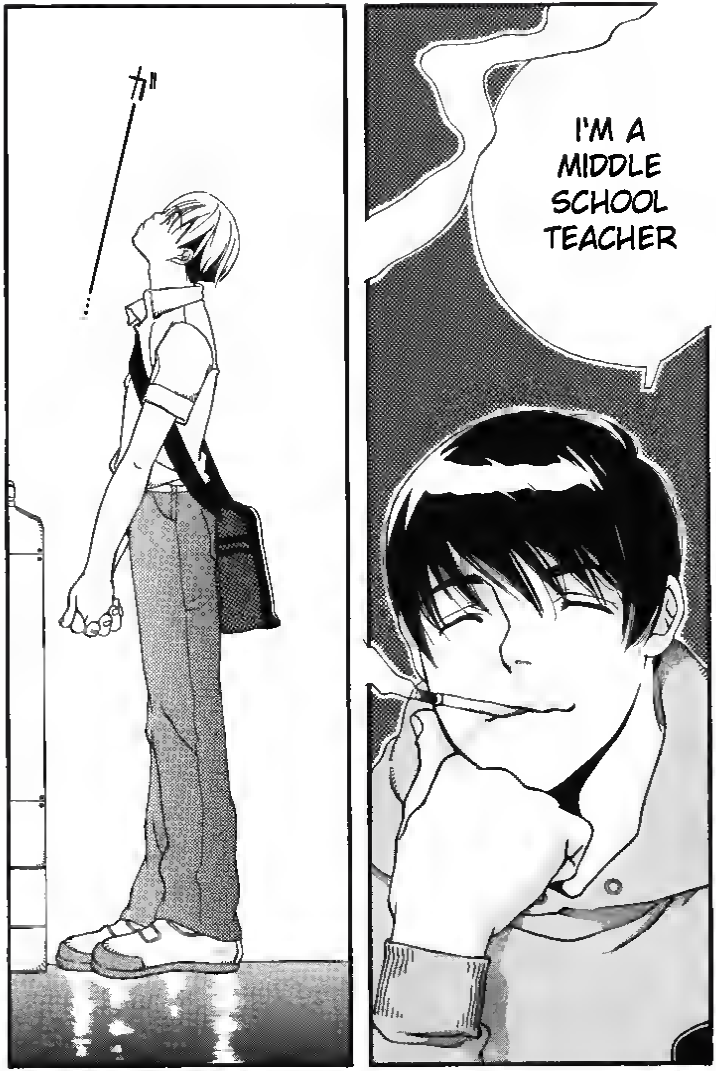
HAH
DON'T YOU JUST PRETENDED TO BE OLDER THAN YOU ARE?
NORMALLY I'M A SEXY MIDDLE SCHOOL STUDENT ...
I CAN NEVER JUDGE THESE DAYS...
Especially the girls
HOHO
EH
YOU SEEM LIKE A UNI STUDENT OR A PART TIMER
CHIAKI'S LATE
CAN YOU GUESS WHAT I DO?
.....

AH, AND 40 COPIES OF THIS PLEASE
OKAY...
I GUESS HE'S NOT COMING TODAY
HOHO
I CAN'T PICTURE YOU AS A SALARYMAN
NOT EVEN CLOSE
ARE YOU SELF-EMPLOYED OR SOME-THING?
SURE THING
WHEN YOU'RE FINISHED WITH THAT CAN I HAVE MORE TEA
YOU BETTER REMEMBER THIS, YOU BALD BASTARD



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A TRAIN WILL BE ARRIVING
SHORTLY ON LINE 2
OW ...
DID YOU SLEEP WRONG?
NO...

YOU KNOW MY BITCH OF A SISTER?
HA HA HA
SHE WAKES YOU UP WITH A KICK...
YOUR SISTER'S ALWAYS BEEN-
WHAT...? DON'T HOLD BACK. SHE'S ALWAYS BEEN BRUTAL AND
NO...
"NO"... BUT IT'S TRUE
AH, WELL... IT'S NOT THAT
IT'S JUST... SOME WEIRD GUY'S STARING AT US
WEIRD ...?

PLEASE STEP BACK
TO THE WHITE LINE

... SEE?
HUH~?
... UWAH~
あおばちょうこ
HE'S STARING AT US RIGHT?
THE WEIRD GUY IN THE SUN-GLASSES ...
HU...H~?
I'M SURE THAT'S THE GUY ...

IN THE TRAIN...
AREN'T YOU-
AH, THE TRAIN!
AH
THE TRAIN IS NOW DEPARTING
"YOU..."
I WAS SO SURPRISED
I'M SURE HE'S

"YOU'RE MY LOOK-ALIKE"
AND ON TOP OF THAT...
OR HE'D SAY SOME OTHER WEIRD THING...

"UWAH
GROSS"
DAMN IT...
HE'S MAKING ME REMEMBER STUPID THINGS
CHIAKI
CHIAKI
HEY
...EH?
WHAT, DID YOU KNOW THAT GUY?
...I WOULDN'T GO THAT FAR
THE UPCOMING TURN IS TIGHT
PLEASE TAKE CARE

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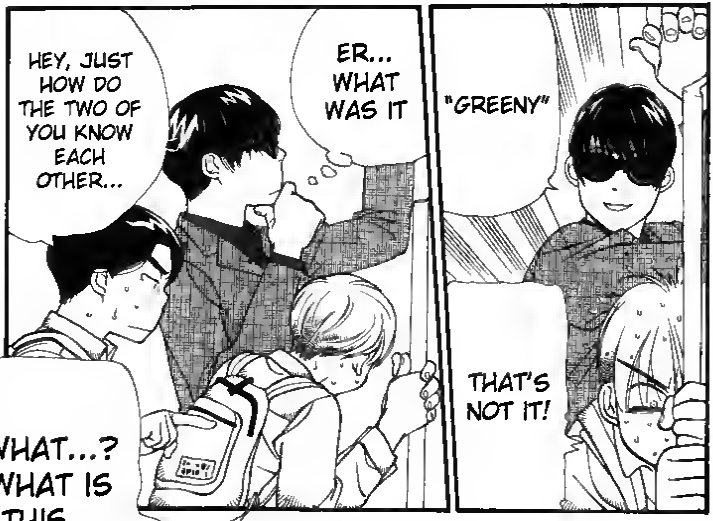
IT SAID TO TAKE CARE RIGHT?
SO YOU DO KNOW HIM
WAH
WELL, UM...
HMM
THAT'S IT
YOU'RE THE KID FROM THE OTHER DAY
WH... WHAT IS IT
THE MOLESTER BOY
!

YOUR NAME'S, UM...
EH...? WHAT ...?
YOU GOT MOLESTED ...?

YOU WERE THE VICTIM
SORRY, SORRY
NOT
I... I'LL KILL HIM ...


HEY, JUST HOW DO THE TWO OF YOU KNOW EACH OTHER...
ER... WHAT WAS IT
"GREENY"
THAT'S NOT IT!
WHAT...? WHAT IS THIS...

LAST STOP
NISHIGAOKA
NISHIGAOKA
HEY CHIAKI
WH... WHAT?
THE RELATI-ONSHIP BETWEEN YOU TWO IS A BIT SUSPICIOUS
D... DON'T TALK SO WEIRD
OH YEAH, I THINK THAT WAS HIS NAME
"HIS REAL NAME'S CHIAKI..."
CHIAKI...

HEY
CHIAKI-KU~N
LEAVE ME ALONE
HE'S CALLING YOU
IGNORE HIM
Hey
AH, HEY
YOU'VE GOT SOME-THING WHITE ON YOUR ARSE AGAIN
EH
KIDDING
I LIED, I LIED
EH? WHAT? WHAT WHAT?

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ピンポーン……
I'M... I'M... I'M SO GOING TO KILL HIM...
DON'T BE ANGRY
JUST WHAT ARE YOU TWO~
HEY
SERIOUSLY, WHO IS HE?
WELL...
COULD BE A PERVERT
HEY HEY

IT KIND OF SEEMS LIKE HE'S GOING TO FOLLOW US ALL THE WAY TO SCHOOL
.....
BUT THERE AREN'T ANY COMPANIES IN THIS AREA
NO WAY, HE WOULDN'T GO THAT FAR...
THEN WHAT THE HELL IS HE
I NEVER THOUGHT HE WAS A NORMAL SALARYMAN FROM THE START!

OKAY
職員室
HERE'S YOUR TEA
IT'S RATHER WARM TODAY ISN'T IT
NEVER-THELESS
YES, AND THE SUNLIGHT'S SO BRIGHT ...
ISN'T KANEDA-KUN A BIT LATE?
HERE YOU GO MR KAMO
AH, THANK YOU, SORRY TO BE A TROUBLE
IT'S STILL A WHILE BEFORE THE MORNING ASSEMBLY

HOW DOES IT FEEL?
COMING TO WORK AS A TEACHER AT A SCHOOL WHERE YOU WERE A STUDENT
EH?
AS HIS FORMER HOMEROOM TEACHER
AH...
I SEE
WELL...
TO BE HONEST
IT'S UNSETTLING

C...
COME ON, YOU CAN'T BE SERIOUS...
"CAN'T BE SERIOUS"... WHAT DO YOU MEAN?
BECAUSE I'M A TEACHER
AH
HE'S SERIOUS!
HE REALLY IS A PERVERT...
YOU'RE NOT ACTUALLY GOING TO FOLLOW US ONTO SCHOOL PROPERTY
I AM

職員室
IT'S TRUE
LIAR
WHAT'S WITH THIS "I'M EXTREMELY SENSITIVE TO THE SUN"
NO WAY ...
IT CAN'T BE HELPED
IT'S TRUE AFTER ALL
I TOLD YOU NOT TO WEAR SUNGLASSES TO SCHOOL!

I WON'T EVEN BE ABLE TO OPEN MY EYES
HMPH, DON'T BE STUPID
BUT I'M NOT KIDDING
I'M USELESS WITHOUT THEM, ESPECIALLY ON DAYS LIKE THIS
BUT DON'T THEY SUIT ME?
WHEN YOU WEAR THEM YOU LOOK LIKE A WANNABE GANGSTA
AT ANY RATE THEY DON'T SUIT YOU SO STOP WEARING THEM
BALD BASTARD ...

OH YES, THERE'S AN INTERESTING ONE IN THE CLASS YOU'RE IN CHARGE OF
DIE DIE DIE DIE DIE DIE DIE DIE
WELL HE'S CHANGED HIS HAIR COLOUR, LIKES TO BE THE CENTRE OF ATTENTION
HE'S MUCH THE SAME AS YOU WERE DURING YOUR MIDDLE SCHOOL DAYS
INTERSTING?
YES

"CHIAKI"-KUN
HOW DO YOU KNOW THAT
ピンポンパンポーン
GOOD MORNING
AH
TO ALL STUDENTS
TSK
HOW UNCOOL ...
IT WAS MY LAST ONE
ポチ!

I JUST KIND OF HELPED HIM OUT
I DON'T REALLY KNOW HIM
HM, WELL
BUT...
I DIDN'T THINK YOU'D KNOW HONDA
HELPED HIM OUT?
IS THAT WHAT BEING A TEACHER'S ABOUT...?

AH

MORNING ASSEMBLY WILL BEGIN MOMENTARILY

COULD ALL STUDENTS PLEASE ASSEMBLE IN THE GYMNASIUM

Vol.3 END

EH!?
NOW?
HEY... I CAN'T DO THAT
I'VE GOT SCHOOL
EH?
WHAT, I CAN'T HEAR YOU
SO, THAT'S IT
ガチャン
...'THAT'S IT' MY ARSE!
WAS THAT CHIAKI-KUN?

Vol.4
No
Smoki

CHIE-CHAN
HURRY UP

YEAH
I'M COMING
ちら
HEY
"GIGGLE"
"GIGGLE"
"GIGGLE"
?
Giggle

I GET IT, THAT "GIGGLE" MEANS
HM?
NO
WELL
UM

Giggle
Giggle
I don't know what's going on but I'm sweating like
Haha
Giggle
Giggle...
COME ON, DON'T LAUGH
THAT
MEANS
BUT...

OKAY
LET'S START WITH ROLL CALL

IGURA-KUN
HERE
IT'S LIKE
AIZAWA-KUN
HERE
HEY
SEE... DON'T THEY LOOK THE SAME?
FATE'S PLAYING A JOKE ON ME
.....
HONDA-KUN?
...HE'S CALLING YOUR NAME
Hey
HONDA-KUN

UM...
WHAT
HONDA-KUN
Giggle
Giggle
IS HONDA-KUN GOING THROUGH A REBELLIOUS AGE?
NO. 14
IF YOU'RE HERE REPLY
IF HE KNOWS I'M HERE, THEN HE DOESN'T NEED TO KEEP CALLING ME
CHI... CHIAKI

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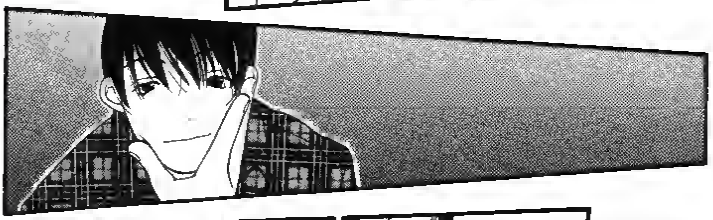
It's like a drama
Yeah.



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OW...
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I SEE
YOU KNOW WHAT I'LL DO IF YOU DON'T SPEAK
O... OW OW ...

IT'S OUR LITTLE SECRET
OW OW OW OW OW....
DON'T WORRY, I WON'T TELL ANYONE
ABOUT THAT EMBARRASSING INCIDENT
AH
BUT I REALLY WANT TO TELL THEM...
THAT BASTARD ...
TH...
UM
NOW THEN
LET'S CONTINUE

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ざわざわざわざわざわ
"I DON'T GET IT AT ALL"
"EH? WHAT WHAT, WHAT'S HE TALKING ABOUT?"
"I DON'T KNOW..."
"HEY, HONDA"
DIDN'T HE SAY IT WAS THEIR LITTLE SECRET?"
THAT FUCKING BASTARD
WHAT KIND OF RELATIONSHIP DO THEY HAVE..?
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IT MAKES ME ANGRY JUST THINKING OF IT.
IT'S PRETTY SUSPICIOUS
REALLY SUSPICIOUS!
...CHIAKI
CHIAKI!
AH

EH, AH
SORRY SORRY
YOU'RE ...
LOOKING A BIT SCARY...
TODAY'S
MY SHOUT
YOU CALLED ME OUT SO SUDDENLY I DIDN'T EVEN GET TO EAT ANYTHING
GEEZ! HE NEVER THINKS ABOUT PUTTING OTHER PEOPLE OUT
LETS GO WATCH SOMETHING
SERIOUSLY
SERIO-USLY?
WE'LL GET TAKE AWAY
WHAT ABOUT SCHOOL?

AH
LET'S GO TO THIS ONE, THIS ONE
I'VE SEEN IT BEFORE BUT THIS ONE'S STUPID AND IT'LL MAKE YOU LAUGH
A-AH...
JUST A LITTLE BIT MORE AND I WOULD HAVE GOT THE PRIZE FOR PERFECT ATTENDANCE THROUGHOUT GRADE 3
IDIOT, WHAT THE HELL ARE YOU TALKING ABOUT
WHO'D WANT SOMETHING BORING LIKE THAT
HM
Uncool
YOU WON'T SKIP SCHOOL ON YOUR OWN THOUGH
AAH...
WHAT A WASTE OF TIME...
So this is the one where character admires Batman
And then later he grows up he talks himself a Batman
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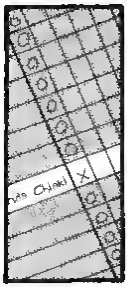
BOW

AN UNAU-
THORISED
ABSENCE


Chiaki

YOU AND...
YES?
CAN I ASK YOU A QUESTION?
GO AHEAD
HE'S DEFINATELY SKIPPING
EXCUSE ME, TEACHER ...
ME AND?
... YEAH BUT ...
I ended up laughing.
SEE? WASN'T IT GOOD?
THANK YOU VERY MUCH
THE NEXT SCREENING WILL BEGIN AT 12.15

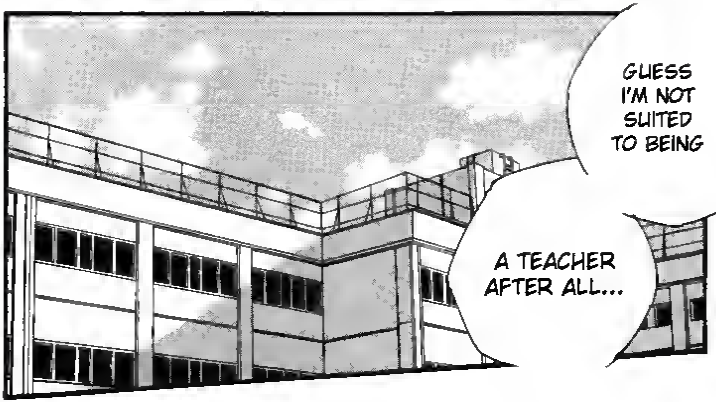
WAH
WELL, DO YOU WANT TO GET SOMETHING TO EAT FIRST?
CINEMA
WHAT DO YOU WANNA WATCH NEXT?
NO, I WAS JUST SURPRISED
THAT'S NOT WHAT I'M SAYING
WE'RE GOING TO SEE ANOTHER ONE?

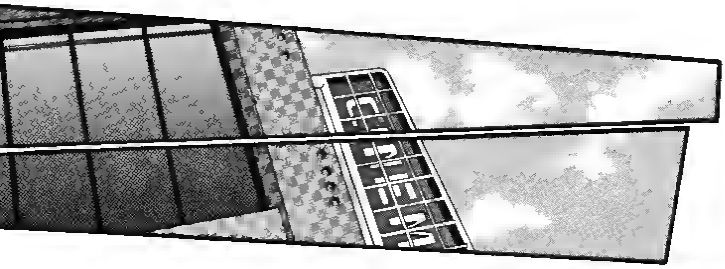
I HAD NO IDEA WHAT SHE WAS GOING TO ASK, SHE LOOKED SO SERIOUS
YOU AND...
"YOU AND HONDA-KUN, IS IT TRUE YOU'RE BROTHERS!?"
SEEMS LIKE THE RUMOURS ARE ALREADY SPREADING
IT MIGHT NOT BE A COINCIDENCE THAT HONDA TOOK TODAY OFF...
NO NO
YOU CAN'T NECESSARILY CALL THAT A RUMOUR
IN OTHER WORDS
HUH?

YOU USED TO ALWAYS DO THE SAME
...BUT AN UNAUTHORISED ABSENCE
BALDY ...
YOU GOT ME FOR A SECOND THERE
HA HA
IDIOT
I WAS LYING, DON'T BELIEVE ME
BEING A TEACHER IS HARD...
WHAT'S THIS ALL OF A SUDDEN
SIR...
YEAH?
WHAT?
BUT IN HIS CASE I'M PART OF THE REASON HE HASN'T TURNED UP

HO
HONDA'S ABSENCE IS YOUR FAULT!!
DIDN'T I ALREADY TELL YOU THAT
I'VE JUST TAKEN UP THE JOB AND I'M ALREADY BULLYING A SINGLE KID
NOW THAT I THINK BACK...
I SHOULDN'T HAVE LET YOU GET AWAY WITH SO MUCH BACK THEN...
LIAR, YOU WERE ALWAYS BALD
IT WAS AFTER I STARTED AS YOUR HOME-ROOM TEACHER THAT MY HEAD STARTED GETTING COLD

I'M TALKING ABOUT YOU!!!
HEY, DON'T BE SO HARD ON YOURSELF
WHEN IT CAME TO YOU
BEING A TEACHER'S THE ONE THING YOU CAN'T BE...
WELL, BE PATIENT
THIS KIND OF HIGH SCHOOL DRAMA TYPE THING IS PRETTY FUN
...YOU LITTLE


GUESS I'M NOT SUITED TO BEING
A TEACHER AFTER ALL...



CINEMA

AH...
I'M SORRY
I wasn't paying attention
No no
It's my fault, too
AH, IT'S OKAY
I'LL PICK IT UP
AH...

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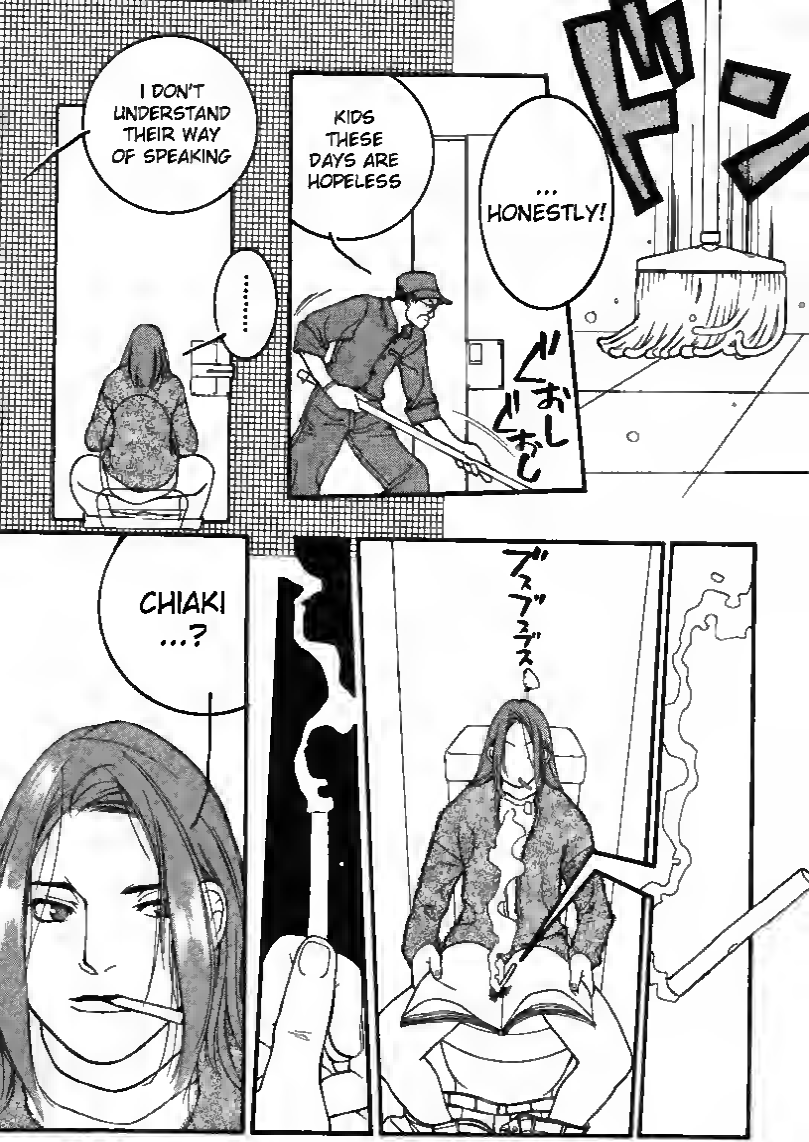
THAT GIRL WHO DEFEATED ME... THAT GIRL...
... SHIT
THE TRUTH IS I WANT TO GO HOME RIGHT NOW
BUT ...
AH
CHIAKI, CHIAKI...
YOUR FACE IS SCARING ME...
Is it stuck like that...
WHAT, MU-CHAN AGAIN
THAT WAS BAD...
NO GOOD, IT'S PRETTY OBVIOUS I WAS FORCING THAT
TOILET
ジュ...
ジャーッ

WHAT'S A BRAT LIKE YOU DOING SMOKING!
SMILE HALF-HEARTEDLY
WELL, DOESN'T MATTER WHAT I SAY NOW
JUST ONE THING TO DO
AH
ガチャ
HEY!
ぱーん
OW
YOU'RE 10 YEARS TOO EARLY TO BE SMOKING!
O... OW~ WHAT WAS THAT FOR!
IT DOES!
THIS IS MY WORK-PLACE
IT'S GOT NOTHING TO DO WITH YOU OLD MAN
CHI... CHIAKI


I DON'T UNDERSTAND THEIR WAY OF SPEAKING
.....
KIDS THESE DAYS ARE HOPELESS
...HONESTLY!
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ゴシゴシ
CHIAKI ...?
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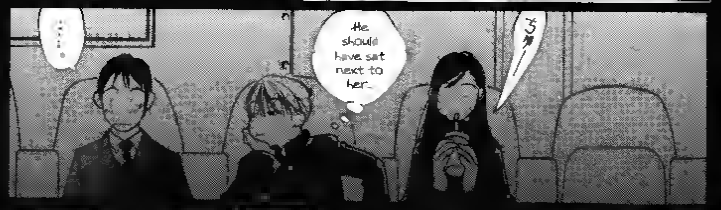
Vol.5

IT STINGS LIKE A BITCH ...
ARE YOU OKAY...?
BUT GEEZ, I GOT A FRIGHT
WHAT THE HELL WAS UP WITH THAT OLD MAN
WELL, HOW ABOUT USING THIS AS AN OPPORTUNITY TO QUIT?
DAMN IT, THIS JUST MAKES ME WANNA SMOKE EVEN MORE
BECAUSE YOU'RE A REBEL...
WHY
AH
YOU'RE SO SLOW!
MY BEST FRIEND MU-CHAN IS
IN LOVE WITH KIKUCHI NANAKO
THAT'S WHY

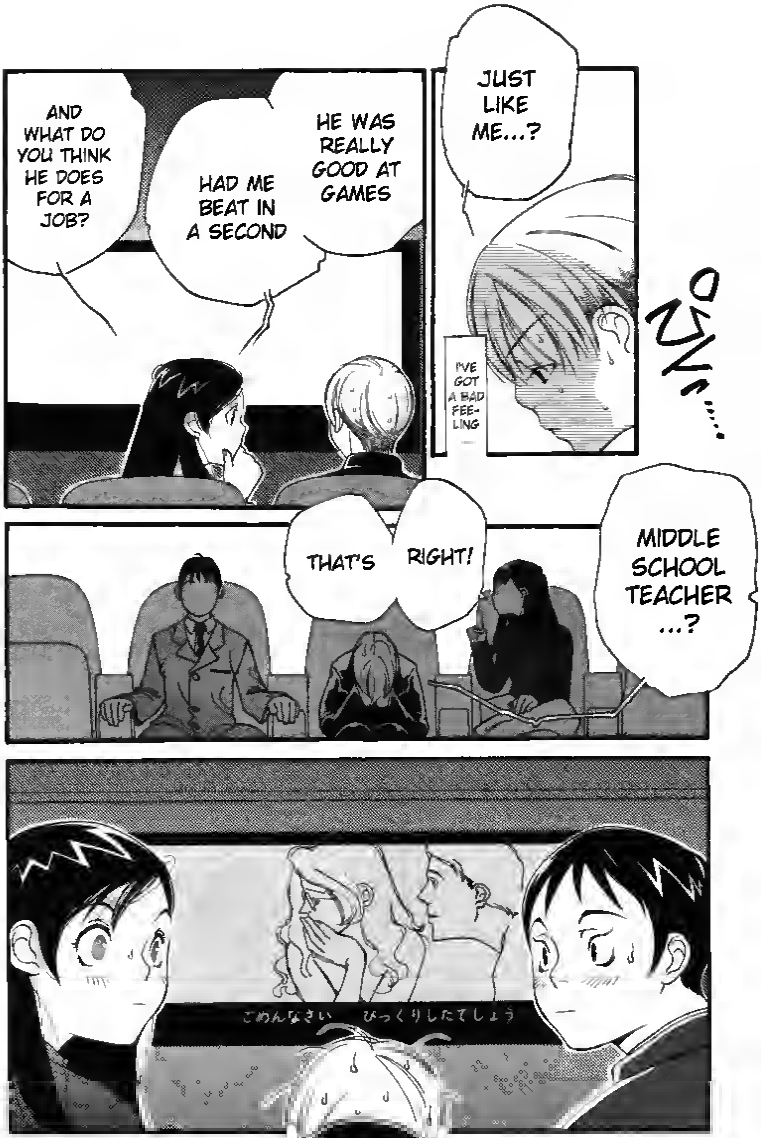
IS WHAT I THINK BUT I'M NOT GOING TO SAY IT
EH?
(ﾍﾆﾆ!
THE MOVIE WILL HAVE STARTED ALREADY
SHUT THE HELL UP, IF YOU WANT TO SEE IT SO MUCH GO ON YOUR OWN
What were we doing next
Um..
YOUR FACE IS RED AND SWOLLEN
I HAVE A BLUSHING ILLNESS... HOHO
DID SOMETHING HAPPEN IN THE TOILETS?
EH?

ENTER AT YOUR OWN RISK!!
"危険を覚悟で中へ"


...
He should have sat next to her...
Ehh?

I MET SOMEONE WHO LOOKED JUST LIKE YOU
THE OTHER DAY
GREENY ...?
ME?
Could it be...

HEY
GREENY
GREENY


JUST LIKE ME...?
I'VE GOT A BAD FEELING
ONII....
HE WAS REALLY GOOD AT GAMES
HAD ME BEAT IN A SECOND
AND WHAT DO YOU THINK HE DOES FOR A JOB?
MIDDLE SCHOOL TEACHER ...?
THAT'S RIGHT!
ごめんなさい　びっくりしたでしょう

EH
Really?
HE'S MY HOME-ROOM TEACHER
I... IT
WHAT!
SO! CAN I ASK? CAN I?
HEY

YOU'RE MAKING TOO
MUCH NOISE
...SORRY
AH, THAT WAS SUCH A SHOCK
HEY, LET'S LEAVE
BECAUSE OF YOU, SHE'S EVEN MAD AT US
MY HEART WAS POUNDING!

CINEMA
NO WAY! IT'S 1000 YEN FOR A TRIPLE FEATURE TODAY!
YOU'VE GOT THE TEMPER OF AN OLD BAG
Ah, geez
THERE'S NO LOGIC TO THEIR TASTES...
なんだか 急に あなたを殺したくなってきたわ
YOUR HOMEROOM TEACHER
YOU KNOW ALL ABOUT HIM RIGHT? WHAT'S HIS NAME?
HUH?
HEY HEY, CONTINUING ON FROM WHAT I WAS SAYING BEFORE
WHAT A WEIRD MOVIE

CINEMA
Eh
Well...
HE TOLD ME, WHAT WAS IT ...?
3年1組
GIGGLE GIGGLE
WHAT IS IT?
EH...
WE WERE JUST THINKING WHAT A CUTE NAME YOU HAVE TEACHER
...REALLY?
IT'S SO CUTE
ISN'T IT~
WHAT'S SO INTERESTING ABOUT IT...

THIS MAY BE A BIT SUDDEN BUT
HM
?
DO YOU HAVE... A GIRLFRIEND?
YES
EH, WHAT'S SHE LIKE, WHAT'S SHE LIKE?
DOING REPORTS IS PART OF OUR JOB, IF THAT'S ALL THEN HEAD ON HOME, OFF YOU GO
AH, YOU'RE EMBARRASSED
YOU'RE ALREADY PRETTY POPULAR, KANEDA-SENSEI
Excuse us

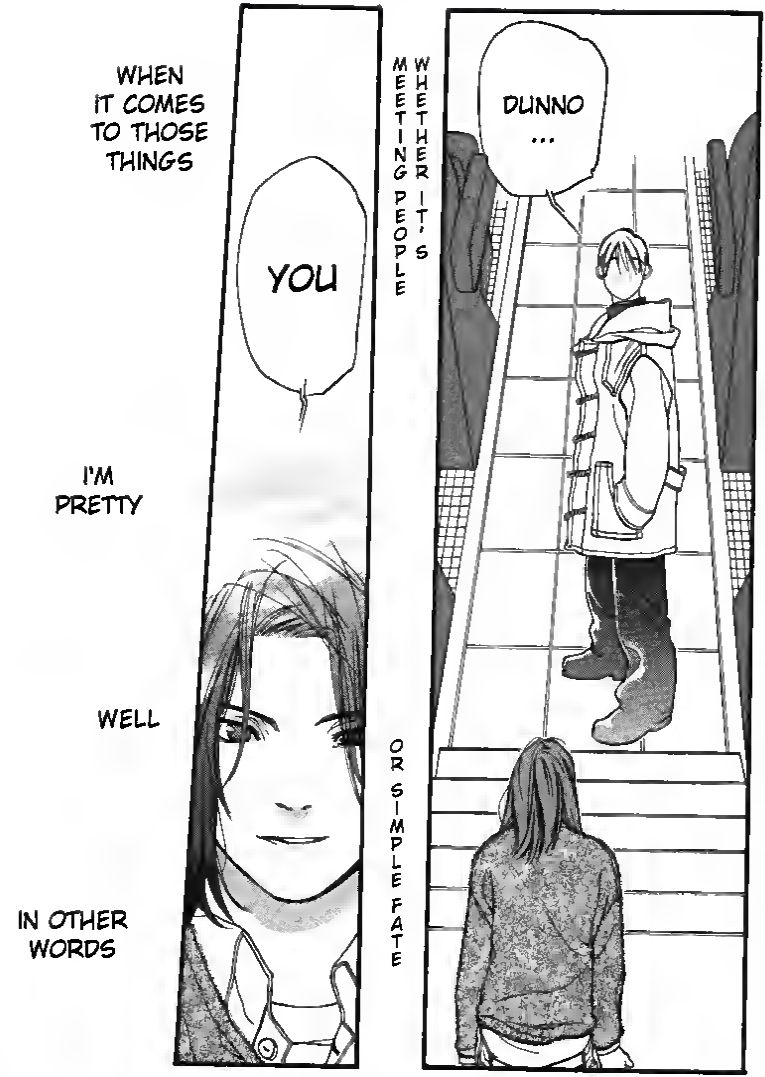
THAT'S A SHOCK ..
HE'S GOT ONE...
HEHE
YOU'RE JUST JEALOUS YOU DON'T GET ANY CONTACT WITH THE SCHOOL-GIRLS, KAMO-SENSEI
MIND YOUR OWN BUSINESS!
IS HE GOING TO BE OK...
OH YEAH, THAT... A HOME VISIT ! GUESS
FORGET THAT!
WHAT ARE YOU GOING TO DO ABOUT HONDA?

The.End
AH
THAT WAS GOOD
SORRY ABOUT BEFORE, FOR TELLING YOU OFF!
NO, WE SHOULD BE THE ONES APOLOGISING, WE WERE CAUSING SUCH A RACKET...
"WE"?
Bitch
Wow
ぐしゃ

UM... WE'RE MIDDLE SCHOOLERS
HEY, ARE YOU MIDDLE SCHOOLERS?
HIGH SCHOOLERS?
I'M KONDOU YUKA, PLEASED TO MEET YOU
THEN YOU'RE THE SAME AS ME
...I'M KIKUCHI NANAKO ...
A GOOD MATCH FOR YOU THEN
SHE'S KIND OF STRANGE BUT...
SHE SEEMS LIKE A GOOD KID!

I'VE GOT NO FAITH IN WOMEN ANYMORE
HMPH
HEY, WHAT ARE YOU GUYS GOING TO DO NOW?
WELL THEN, WELL THEN
NOW? ...NOTHING REALLY
HEY
ARE YOU "CHIAKI"?

AH
I SEE
A WHILE BUT
IT TOOK ME
EH...?
NO... I'M NOT
IT FINALLY DAWNED ON ME
RIGHT THEN
WHO WAS THAT ...

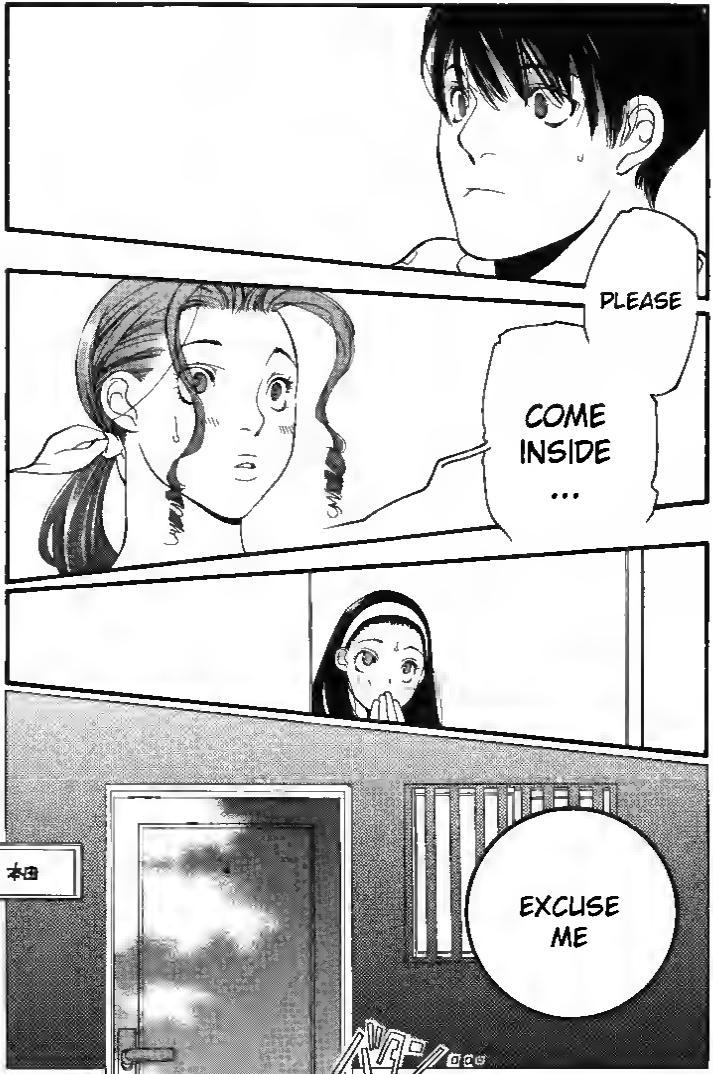

DUNNO ...
WHETHER IT'S MEETING PEOPLE OR SIMPLE FATE
YOU
WHEN IT COMES TO THOSE THINGS
I'M PRETTY
WELL
IN OTHER WORDS

ARE YOU "CHIAKI"?
I
PROBABLY
HAVE SHIT LUCK ...

ピンポーン
YES
I'M COMING
AH, COME ON, COME ON, HURRY AND CLEAN UP THESE BOOKS AND SWEETS!
GEEZ! WHY'S HIS TEACHER COMING OVER ALL OF A SUDDEN
I DON'T KNOW WHY. I JUST GOT A PHONE CALL OUT OF THE BLUE
はっ

NO WAY...
THAT BOY'S DONE SOMETHING OUTRAGEOUS, MAYBE HE'S DROPPED OUT...
THE TEACHER'S WAITING WHILE YOU'RE TALKING NONSENSE, IS THAT OK?
AH, YOU'RE RIGHT
SORRY FOR MAKING YOU WAIT~ PLEASE COME IN
HELLO, I'M SORRY FOR VISITING ON SUCH SHORT NOTICE
NO, NO!
THANK YOU FOR GOING OUT OF YOUR WAY TO COME

THANK YOU FOR ALWAYS TAKING CARE OF MY-
PAPA!!
PARDON?
I WAS TALKING TO MY-SELF
WELL
NO



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"ARE YOU
CHIAKI?"

WHO WAS THAT?
IT SEEMS LIKE HE KNOWS ME
THAT'S ...

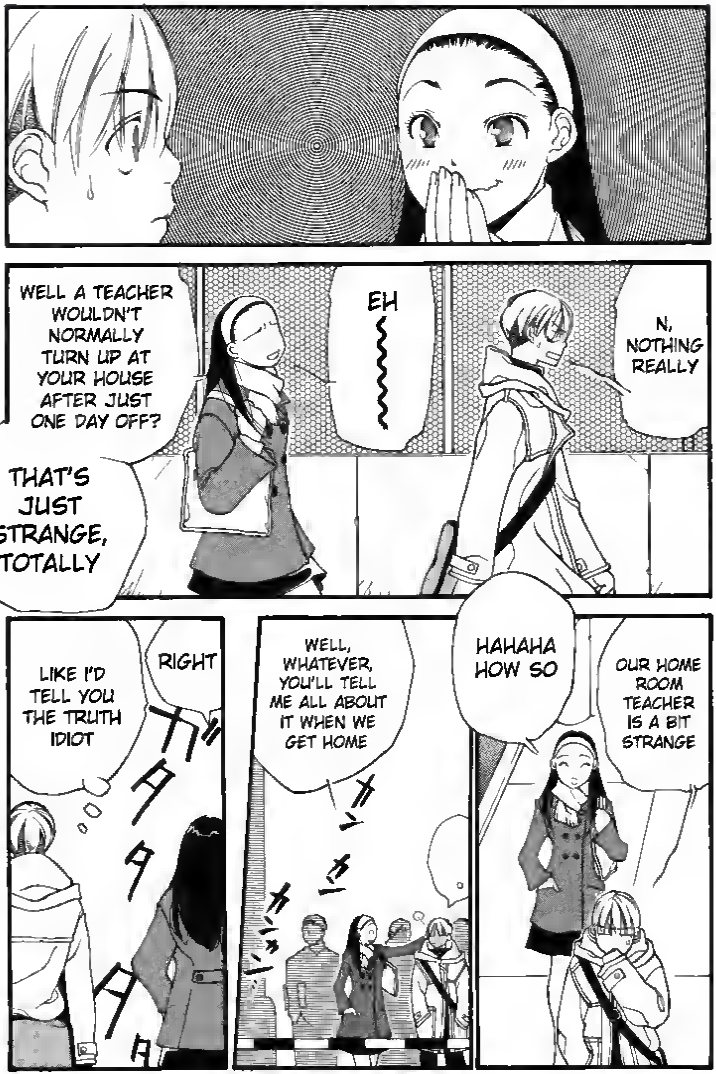
CHIAKI
CHIAKI!!
WAKE UP LAZY!
OW
Idiot! Idiot! Idiot! Bitch! Bitch!
CUT IT OUT
BE QUIET YOU TWO
THAT HURT!
BITCH!
I JUST GOT HOME!

HONESTLY ...
YOU DIDN'T HAVE TO KICK ME!
IDIOT
BUT HE CAN'T WAKE HIMSELF UP WITHOUT HELP
WHY
Hah
WHY DID I DREAM OF THAT

CHIAKI!
HE WAS
WEIRD ...
GET OFF MY BACK I KNOW!!
MAKE SURE YOU GO TO SCHOOL TODAY
I APOLOGISED LIKE A THOUSAND TIMES ALREADY!?
YOU DON'T MEAN IT THOUGH ...
BUT... MAMA WAS SO EMBARRASSED
STANDING IN FRONT OF YOUR TEACHER SAYING ONE EXCUSE AFTER ANOTHER

IF YOU KNEW HOW BAD IT IS
YOU'D GET RID OF THAT STRANGE HAIR AND QUIT SMOKING
I'M THE ONE WHO HAS TO SUFFER BECAUSE OF WHAT YOU DO~
I GET IT, SHUT UP~

THAT OLD BAG
SHE WAS JUST FAKE CRYING
HEY
DID SOMETHING HAPPEN TO YOU AT SCHOOL?
EH


OUR HOME ROOM TEACHER IS A BIT STRANGE
HAHAHA HOW SO
WELL, WHATEVER, YOU'LL TELL ME ALL ABOUT IT WHEN WE GET HOME
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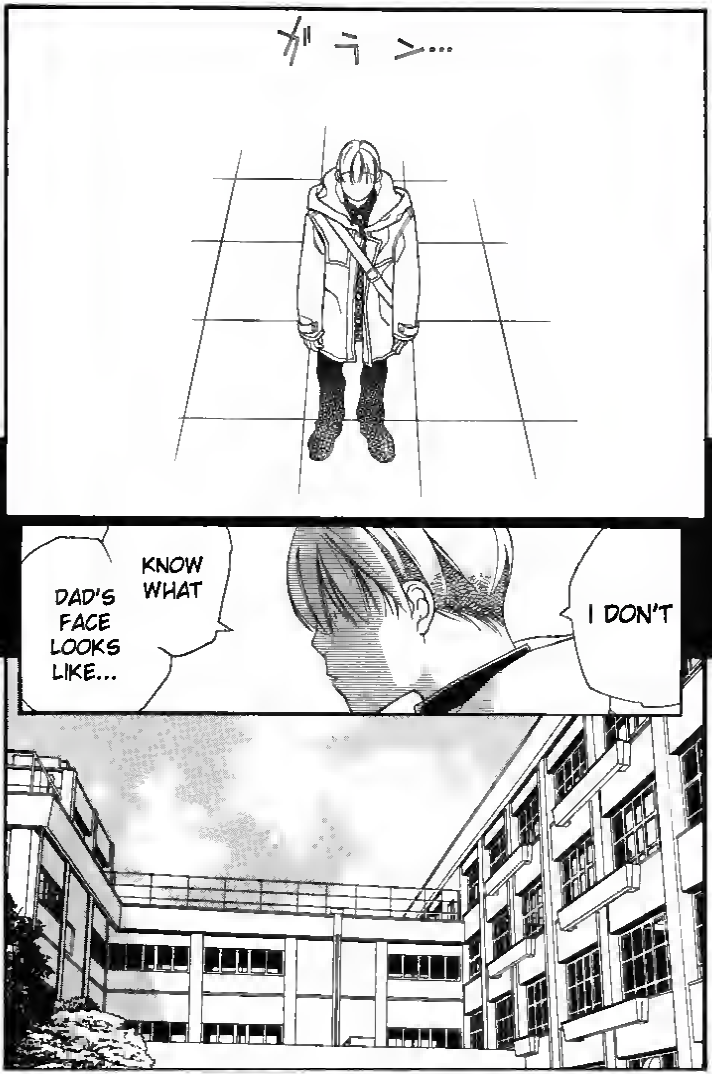
カンカン
RIGHT
LIKE I'D TELL YOU THE TRUTH IDIOT
ダダダダ
N, NOTHING REALLY
EH
WELL A TEACHER WOULDN'T NORMALLY TURN UP AT YOUR HOUSE AFTER JUST ONE DAY OFF?
THAT'S JUST STRANGE, TOTALLY

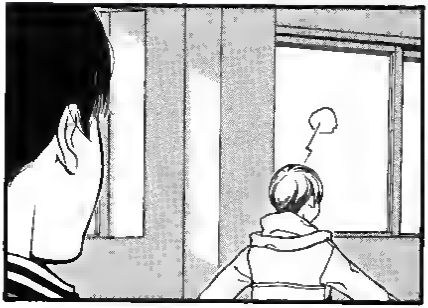
DID YOU KNOW? THAT TEACHER LOOKS JUST LIKE OUR GRANDPA WHEN HE WAS YOUNG
OUR GRAND-PA?
DIDN'T YOU KNOW HIM CHIAKI? HE DIED A LONG TIME AGO
I THINK
I'VE ONLY SEEN HIM IN PHOTOS
WE HAVE PHOTOS?
IF YOU MATURED A BIT MORE YOU'D LOOK THE SAME TOO
YOU TAKE AFTER GRANDPA AFTER ALL

HMM ...
I ALWAYS THOUGHT I TOOK AFTER DAD
EH
PAPA HAD EYES LIKE THESE
THE ONLY ONES IN OUR FAMILY WITH DROOPING EYES ARE YOU AND GRANDPA
WHAT ARE YOU DOING? THE TRAIN'S COMING

AH
DAD'S FACE
MINE CAME FIRST
OH NO
SEE YOU
I'M OFF


ガラン…
I DON'T KNOW WHAT DAD'S FACE LOOKS LIKE...

HEY
YOU'RE HERE TODAY HONDA-KUN
VERY GOOD, VERY GOOD
DON'T PAT ME
YOU'RE JUST AT THE RIGHT HEIGHT THAT I FEEL LIKE PATTING YOU
SH... SHUT UP



I WONDER IF YOU COULD WRITE "COLLAPSE" IN KANJI?
OF COURSE I COULD!!

SHUT UP, YOU'RE SO ANNOYING
NO, I'M BEING SERIOUS, IT'D BE IN YOUR BEST INTERESTS TO KNOW HOW TO WRITE IT TODAY

HOW'D MY HOME CALL GO DOWN?
IT'S ONE STEP CLOSER TO MY FAMILY'S COLLAPSE

IT'S TOO LATE FOR YOU TO BE FUSSING OVER ME
PLEASE JUST LEAVE ME ALONE ALREADY
WHAT KIND OF ATTITUDE IS THAT
WELL
AT LEAST HE SEEMS ENERGETIC
BOW
3年1
EH, THIS MAY BE A LITTLE HARD CONSIDERING IT'S THE START OF THE DAY
BUT TODAY

WE'RE HAVING A POP QUIZ
ガーン
YOU'VE GOT 40 MINUTES
OKAY, NO COMPLAINTS
シーン
That's a weird dream idiot
HEHEHE IT'S BEEN A DREAM OF MINE TO DO THIS EVER SINCE I WAS A STUDENT
Boo
Boo
YOU'RE SO MEAN
ジタバタ
I don't wanna
Are you serious Nooo oooo

ADULTS

ARE SUCH

EH?
A PHOTO ALBUM?
WHY ARE YOU ASKING, OF COURSE WE HAVE ONE
I'VE NEVER SEEN IT
BUT YOU NEVER ASKED UNTIL NOW
WHO'S THE ONE THAT HASN'T EVER TRIED TO SHOW IT TO ME HUH?
THAT'S BECAUSE IT'S NOT ALL THAT INTERESTING
SIS KNOWS ABOUT IT, WHY DON'T I!!

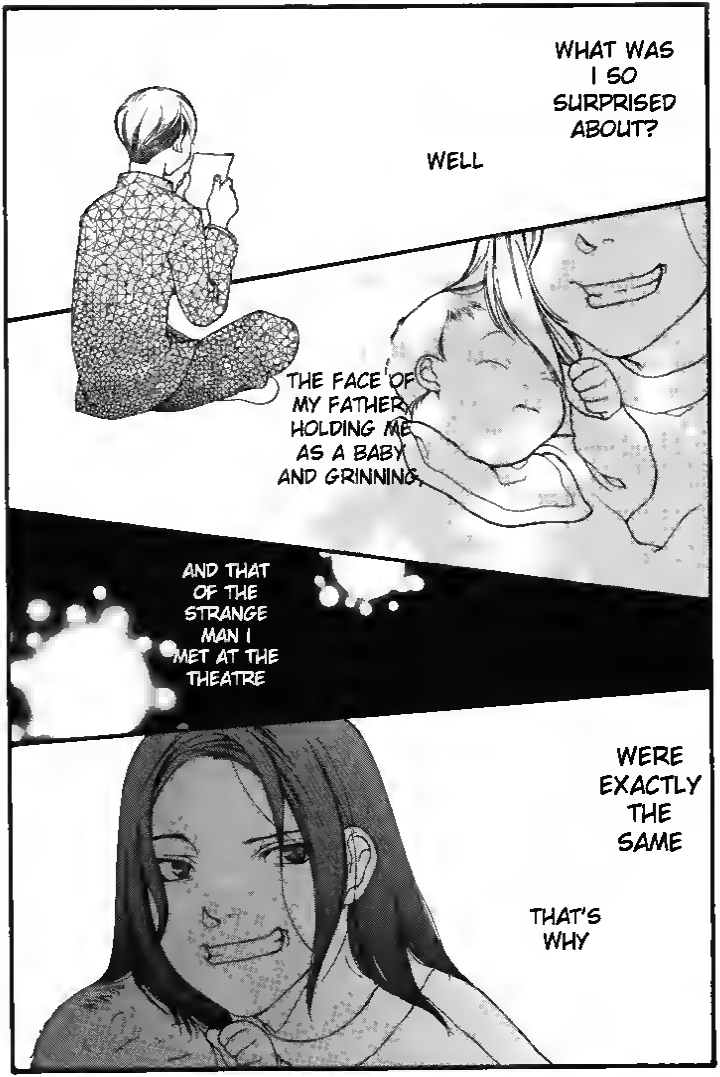
HERE
Memories
WHAT ARE YOU SO PROUD ABOUT
YOU'RE SUCH A HORRID CHILD
YOU USED TO BE SO CUTE BACK THEN
THIS IS WHEN IZU CAME
LOOK AT EMI, LOOK AT THAT FACE SHE'S MAKING
YOU WERE 3 CHIAKI
EHEHE
...
WHERE'S DAD?

I, IT WAS YOUR DAD WHO WAS TAKING THE PHOTOS OF COURSE
HE'S NOT IN ANY OF THESE
BUT EVEN THEN IT'S NORMAL FOR HIM TO BE IN A LEAST ONE PHOTO
AH! HERE, SEE SEE
GRAND-FATHER, FATHER, CLOSE ENOUGH!
THAT'S GRANDPA WHEN HE WAS YOUNG! HE LOOKS JUST LIKE KANEDA-SENSEI!
PHOTOS!
WHY'D YOU BANG THE TABLE, IT SCARED ME
I... I THREW THEM AWAY

IS THAT NORMAL? TO THROW OUT A DEAD FAMILY MEMBER'S PHOTOS?
BECAUSE YOUR FATHER DIED...
THREW THEM AWAY?
Eh? Wait a moment...
Mama ?
IS DAD REALLY DEAD?
...WE BROKE UP...

WHY WOULD YOU TELL
A LIE LIKE THAT!!!
I THOUGHT HE WAS DEAD OR SOMETHING BUT HE'S JUST A DEADBEAT NO SHOW
B, BUT BUT YOUR FATHER WASN'T A GOOD MAN, I THOUGHT YOU'D BE DISAPPOINTED IF YOU KNEW...
I WISH HE HAD DIED~
DON'T JUST KILL HIM OFF!
I WANT TO AT LEAST SEE A PHOTO
YOU HAVE ONE RIGHT? SHOW ME
Hey
Eh

...I DO HAVE SOME
HERE...
I COULDN'T BELIEVE IT


WHAT WAS I SO SURPRISED ABOUT?
WELL
THE FACE OF MY FATHER, HOLDING ME AS A BABY AND GRINNING.
AND THAT OF THE STRANGE MAN I MET AT THE THEATRE
WERE EXACTLY THE SAME
THAT'S WHY

Vol.6 END

Vol.7

NOW LET'S TALLY THE VOTES
2-A
FIRST
ONE VOTE FOR HONDA-KUN FROM NISHIGAOKA MIDDLE SCHOOL
HONDA-KUN
HONDA-KUN
SAKAGAMI-KUN FROM HIGASHI MIDDLE SCHOOL
HEY HEY
LOOK AT THIS YUKA-CHAN
WOW, YOU TOOK MORE?
HEHE I TOOK IT WITH THAT CAMERA I BOUGHT THE OTHER NIGHT

.....
WOW
WHEN DID YOU TAKE THIS ONE SASAMINE SAN!!
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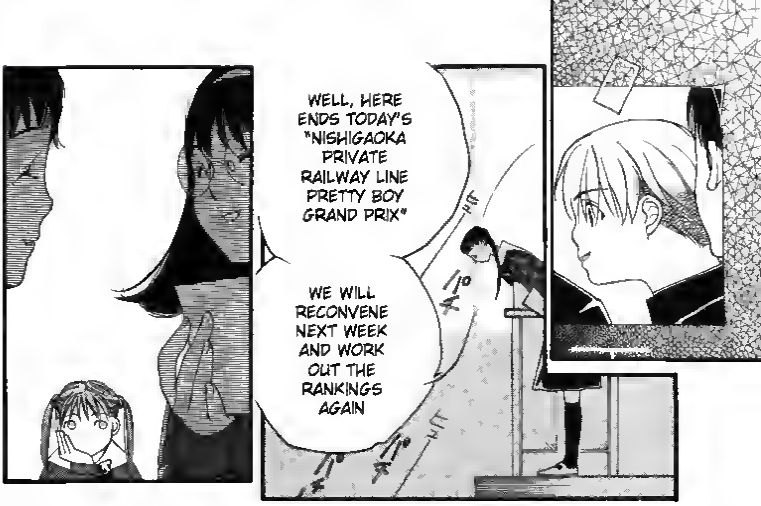
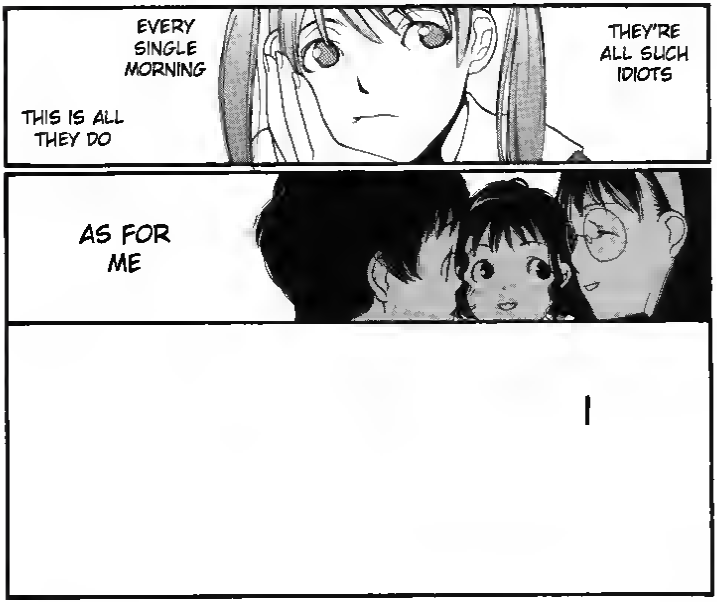
I WANT COPIES, I WANT COPIES
キャオ
BUT HE'S ALREADY PRETTY MUCH AN IDOL AMONG US KATARINA GIRLS
...HE'S JUST YOUR AVERAGE ECCENTRIC RIGHT
Love
AHEM, THE RESULT OF THE POLL IS
THAT ONCE AGAIN HONDA-KUN OF NISHIGAOKA MIDDLE SCHOOL HAS WON BY A LANDSLIDE


WELL, HERE ENDS TODAY'S "NISHIGAOKA PRIVATE RAILWAY LINE PRETTY BOY GRAND PRIX"
WE WILL RECONVENE NEXT WEEK AND WORK OUT THE RANKINGS AGAIN


EVERY SINGLE MORNING
THEY'RE ALL SUCH IDIOTS
THIS IS ALL THEY DO
AS FOR ME
I

AAH
I WANT TO TELL THEM SO BADLY
THAT THEIR BELOVED IDOL
IS JUST A CONCEITED LITTLE PIPSQUEAK
AH~ JUST SAY IT~
BUT
IS HE REALLY SO PRETTY
THAT HE DESERVES ALL THIS FUSS?

キーンコーンカーン…
3年1組
AIZAWA-SAN
I'M RETURNING YOUR CORRECTED POP QUIZZES SO COME AND GET THEM WHEN I CALL YOUR NAME
ピシッ
ピシッ
Seriously?
Right
Coming
No way
Geez
OH YEAH, THAT'S RIGHT
BEFORE WE GET INTO THE LESSON THERE'S A LITTLE SOMETHING I HAVE TO DO

OGAWA-SAN
HE
KAWASHIMA-KUN
ONODA-SAN
SO WHAT ABOUT MY DAD?
EH?

YOU'RE LYING AGAIN!!
...I DON'T KNOW
WHERE'S HE LIVING NOW?
LIKE...
I'M NOT LYING (THIS TIME)! HOW RUDE!
THAT...

THAT GOOD-FOR-NOTHING...
.....
I DON'T UNDERSTAND ANYTHING
.....
BUT THAT GUY AT THE THEATRE MUST BE HIM...

SPECIAL DELIVERY FOR HONDA-KUN
HERE
Ah
Unfair
Mes Mes
AND I ADDED 10 POINTS
THAT PISSES ME OFF
WHOA, THAT'S MAJOR FAVOURITISM
D... DON'T DO THINGS YOU DON'T NEED TO
I WAS KIDDING, KIDDING
WELL, LET'S CONTINUE SHALL WE

WHAT
EH
COME ON, IT WAS OBVIOUSLY A LIE, DON'T THINK TOO MUCH ON IT
IT WAS A JOKE, JUST A JOKE
BUT ...
YOU KNOW~
AH
HONDA-KUN IS THE TEACHER'S PET~
YEAH, YEAH
WELL
WHAT'S WITH THAT WAY OF SPEAKING

HE'S CLEARLY GOING AGAINST SCHOOL RULES~
ANYWAY, COMING TO SCHOOL WITH HAIR LIKE THAT, IT'S STRANGE THAT NONE OF THE TEACHERS HAVE TOLD HIM OFF FOR IT
Ugh

MORE NATURAL THAN GREEN AT LEAST
Ahahaha You're so right
BUT YOU'VE GOT LIGHT BROWN HAIR TOO KOJIMA-SAN
EH... THIS IS NATURAL
DO YOU WANT EVERYONE TO THINK YOU'RE A PUSHOVER?

THAT YOU'RE INDIFFERENT TO YOUR STUDENTS
I SEE ~
AH, YEAH, THAT KIND OF FEELING
BUT ABOUT THAT, MR KAMO'S PRETTY NICE ISN'T HE
HE'S NOT STRICT WHEN IT COMES TO EDUCATIONAL GUIDANCE
LIKE HE WON'T CONFRONT ANYONE
YEAH, BUT...
ガタッ

SH...
I'LL JUST DYE IT BLACK AGAIN OKAY!!
SHUT UP!
HEY HEY
AH
ガタン
ガタン
YOU'RE NOT THE ONE WHO'S SUPPOSED TO BE ANGRY HERE HONDA
So this is youth, haha
HE'S THE ONLY ONE GETTING FIRED UP ABOUT IT...
Hey hey
How unmanly
Hah
WH
WHAT'S THIS ALL OF A SUDDEN
What
What

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ピシャ
What's with that guy
TEACHER ...
Really willfully
HE LEFT
WE'RE ALL GOING TO FOLLOW HIM
Eh

TEACHER
HM?
SHOULD WE REALLY BE SNEAKING OUT OF SCHOOL...
WHAT'S WRONG WITH THAT?
JUST THINK OF IT AS AN EXTRA-CURRICULAR LESSON
WHAT'S THAT YOU'RE HOLDING?
FIRE-WORKS
BUT IT'S NOT EVEN SUMMER?

WHO CARES AS LONG AS WE GET TO WASTE A LESSON
Yeah
YOU'D GET FIRED IF YOU DID THAT
THINK WE COULD USE THESE FOR YOUR GRADUATION CEREMONY? LIKE A 12 GUN SALUTE OR SOMETHING?
...I KNOW RIGHT
...I THOUGHT WE WERE SUPPOSED TO BE LOOKING FOR HONDA?
CINEMA
料金
ニコアホん… 1200円
学生… 1500円
大人… 1800円
レディースデー… 1000円

WHAT?
A TALL MAN WITH LONG RED HAIR?
YEAH! HE WAS HANGING AROUND HERE 2 OR 3 DAYS BACK
I COULDN'T SAY FOR SURE, YOU SEE A LOT OF BLONDES AND RED HEADS THESE DAYS

I MEAN, LOOK AT YOU, THAT'S A PRETTY AMAZING COLOUR
DON'T WORRY ABOUT ME!
WELL, ANYWAY, I DON'T REMEMBER THE MAN YOU'RE TALKING ABOUT
REALLY
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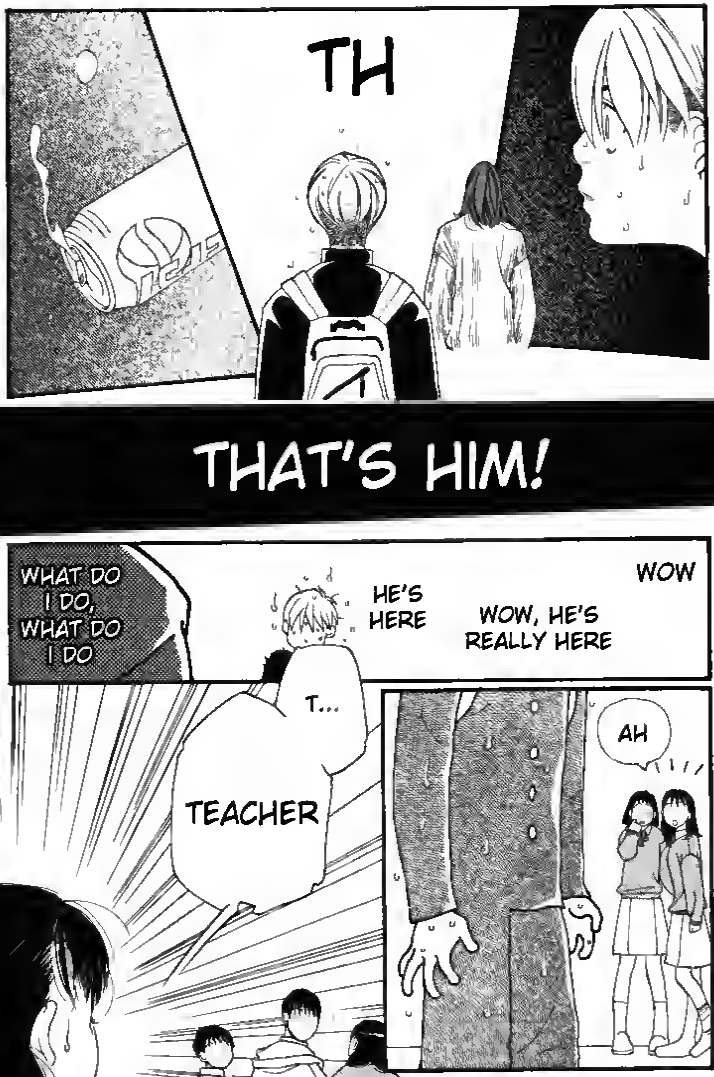
パチンコ ドランカー

ごっくん。

RUNNING INTO PEOPLE BY CHANCE HAS ALMOST BECOME A HOBBY OF MINE
AND THIS IS A PRETTY SMALL TOWN
SO WHY CAN'T I FIND HIM EVEN THOUGH I'VE LOOKED ALL OVER...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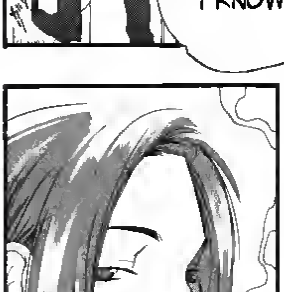
THAT'S HIM!
WHAT DO I DO, WHAT DO I DO
HE'S HERE
WOW, HE'S REALLY HERE
WOW
T...
TEACHER
AH

W, WE SAW HONDA-KUN...!
IN FRONT OF THE PACHINKO PALOUR!
EH, NO WAY
I THOUGHT FOR SURE HE WOULD HAVE HEADED HOME A LONG TIME AGO
Hm
HEY... WHAT'S UP WITH THAT
...NO IDEA
OKAY
I'M... GOING TO CALL OUT TO HIM!

WHAT'S HE DOING IN A PLACE LIKE THAT
HOW WOULD I KNOW



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HEY

Huh
What's going on?
HOW WOULD I KNOW
Oh, you...
TEACHER... WHO IS THAT?
BUT DON'T YOU FEEL LIKE SOMETHING DRAMATIC'S HAPPENING?
YOU'RE RIGHT
YEAH
HEY, SHOULDN'T WE BE GETTING BACK TO THE CLASS-ROOM SOON?

WHAT SHOULD I DO
I WAS FINE
I COULDN'T THINK OF ANYTHING
RIGHT THEN
UNTIL I ACTUALLY SPOKE
EVERYONE BE YOUNG AND IMPULSIVE LIKE HONDA-KUN!!
WHATEVER, LET'S JUST HEAD BACK TO SCHOOL ALREADY
YEAH!!

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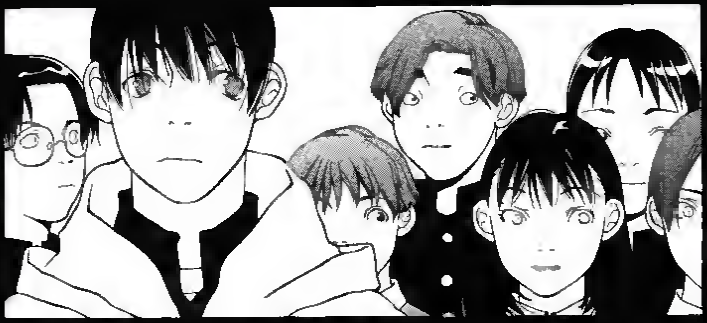
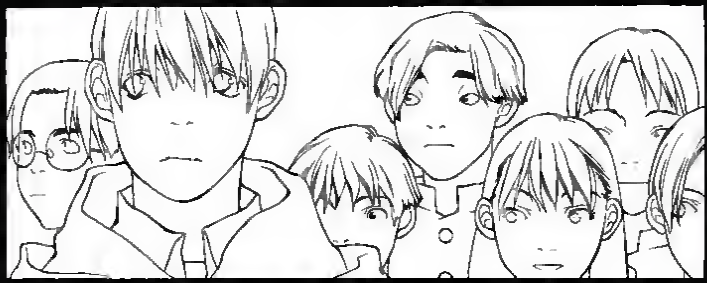
THE FIRST THING
THE MAN SAID WAS
"HOW ARE YOU?"



TO WHICH THE
BOY ANSWERED,
"...GOOD"



————————AND THAT WAS IT

Vol.8

MEMBERS OF THE CULTURAL FESTIVAL PLANNING COMMITTEE, IT'S NOW 4 O'CLOCK AND WE WILL BE STARTING THE MEETING
HAS ANYONE SEEN YAMAMOTO?
3年1組
PLEASE ASSEMBLE IN THIRD GROUP, 2ND YEAR'S ROOM
HAYASHI AND MATSUURA AREN'T HERE EITHER
THEY'RE DEFINATELY WAGGING
AH, WATCH OUT FOR THE PAPER HONDA! THE PAPER!!
AH... SORRY
THERE'S ANOTHER WASTE OF SPACE...
YOU'RE NOT SORRY AT ALL! GEEZ~
Watch where you're going!

TAKE A SEAT RIGHT HERE
WELCOME
JUST THE 2 OF YOU?
HELLO
AH, MU-CHAN?

NO WAY!!
GREENY'S SCHOOL'S HAVING A CULTURAL FESTIVAL!?
I'M TOTALLY GOING!
THIS SUNDAY? OKAY, SEE YOU, CALL ME LATER
KIKUCHI-SA~N
AH, I JUST FINISHED
YOUR BOYF-RIEND?
HELL NO
JUST A FRIEND

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HEY, YOU'RE NOT ALLOWED TO BRING PHONES TO SCHOOL~
EH
YOUR GIRL-FRIEND?
AS IF
?
I'M NO MATCH FOR HER
HAH...

I GUESS... MAYBE
DO YOU LIKE HER? THE GIRL YOU WERE TALKING TO THEN
I'M NOT THAT POPULAR ...
...IT'S FINE FOR YOU, YOU'RE POPULAR SAKAGAMI
.....
BUMS YOU OUT HUH...
BUT IT LOOKS LIKE SHE'S GOT HER EYES ON SOMEONE ELSE...
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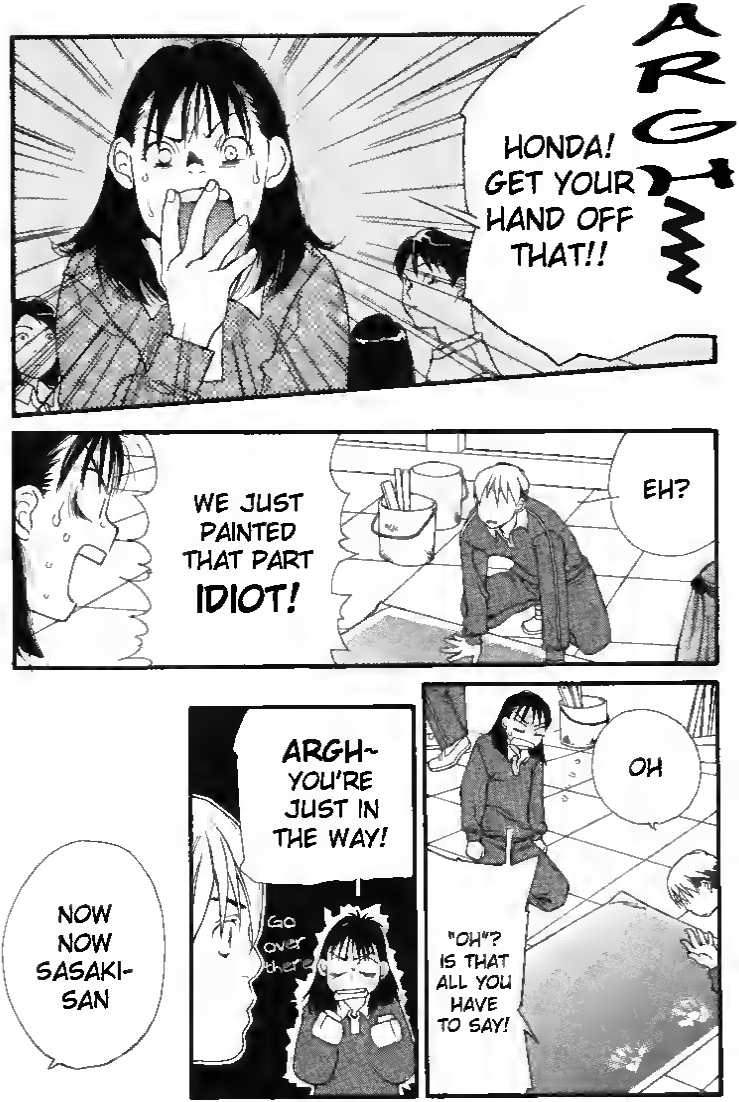
ARGH~
HONDA! GET YOUR HAND OFF THAT!!
EH?
WE JUST PAINTED THAT PART IDIOT!
OH
"OH"? IS THAT ALL YOU HAVE TO SAY!
ARGH~ YOU'RE JUST IN THE WAY!
GO over there
NOW NOW SASAKI-SAN

IF YOU'RE GOING TO BRING THAT UP... I'M FROM A SINGLE PARENT FAMILY
MY MUM AND I LIVE TOGETHER, JUST THE TWO OF US
Get things ready for the cultural festival
YOU WOULDN'T BE PUTTING ALL THAT MUCH EFFORT INTO THE CULTURAL FESTIVAL EITHER
IF YOU HAD THE SAME COMPLICATED HOME LIFE AS HONDA-KUN
HIS CASE IS DIFFERENT TO YOURS
ACCORDING TO MY GUESS
THAT GUY THE OTHER DAY
WAS PROBABLY THE FATHER HE NEVER KNEW, OR SOMETHING
HE SUDDENLY GOT IT RIGHT...
HONDA'S NOT DENYING IT...
...IT'S TRUE?

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おは
HE HAD NO IDEA WHAT TO SAY
AND IT ALL ENDED WITH THAT PATHETIC TWO-LINE CONVERSATION ...
AND THEN TO SUDDENLY RUN INTO HIM IN THE CITY, IT WAS TOO MUCH ALL AT ONCE
SO HE CALLED OUT TO HIM
SO, IS THAT ABOUT RIGHT HONDA-KUN
... THAT'S ABOUT IT
THAT'S RIGHT
WHEN I MET HIM I COULDN'T THINK OF A SINGLE THING TO SAY
OW

AH...
YEAH, I'M FINE
...ARE YOU OKAY?
I'M GOING TO WASH MY HAND
THE FIRST THING THE MAN SAID———

WAS "HOW ARE YOU?" ...
HONDA! WHAT ARE YOU DOING UP THERE!
AND THEN ...
THE BOY

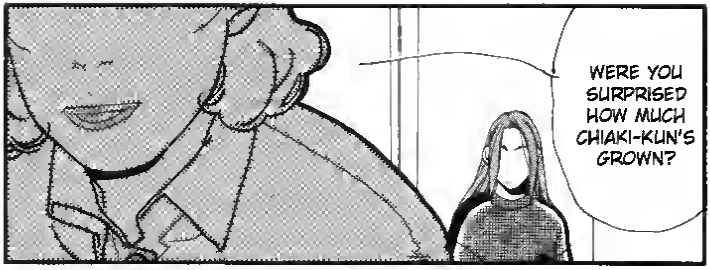
Ah.

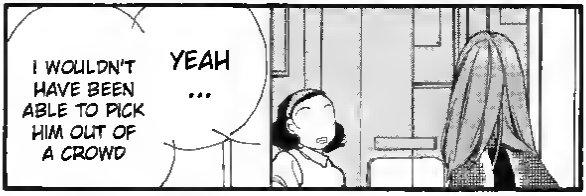
Ah, that's dangerous
Ow, Honda!
You litte bastard, I'll expel you!
Hmph

HONESTLY

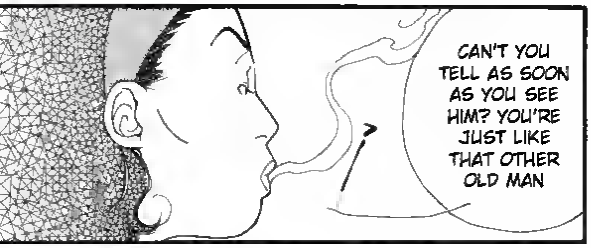
YOU'RE A COMPLETE FAILURE OF A FATHER
YOU COULD HAVE FINALLY SEIZED THE CHANCE TO TALK WITH HIM
CINEMA
ウォレスビグルミット
BUT ...
AT FIRST I DIDN'T CLICK THAT HE WAS ASKING ABOUT YOU
A TALL MAN WITH LONG RED HAIR, I THOUGHT HE WAS TALKING ABOUT SOME YOUNG MAN

IT'S TIME FOR YOU TO GET INTO SHAPE
IT'S POSITIVELY INDECENT HAVING THAT COLOUR HAIR AT YOUR AGE
.....
WHAT DOES MY HAIR HAVE TO DO WITH ANYTHING
IF YOU'VE GOT NO INTENTION OF SERVING, GO BACK INSIDE
THE CUSTOMERS WILL LAUGH IF THEY SEE YOU
YOU TELL ME
YOU ...
HUH?





"ARE YOU CHIAKI?"

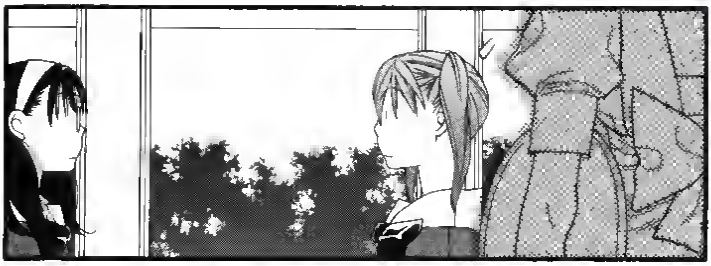


REALLY
I don't care...
AND YOU KNOW
THERE ARE A LOT OF GIRLS WHO WANT TO BUY THE NEGATIVES OF HONDA-KUN
I WANT YOU TO HAVE A LOOK AT SOME-THING YUKA-CHAN
Ah—
I'M A BIT HUNGRY ...
WANT TO GO IN HERE?
YEAH OKAY
WELCOME

I NEVER THOUGHT I'D MEET YOU IN A PLACE LIKE THIS NANAKO-CHAN
I'VE GOT MY BOSS FOOLED
B, BUT DON'T MENTION MY AGE OK
I COULD SAY THE SAME...
I'LL HAVE TODAY'S RECOMMENDED CAKE SET
ME TOO
CERTAINLY

WHY? NO ONE WILL SEE
HEY HEY HEY... DON'T SPREAD THOSE OUT IN PUBLIC
IT'S EMBARR-ASSING
EH
OKAY, LET'S CONTINUE
NEXT UP IS NISHIGAOKA'S CULTURAL FESTIVAL
IF I GOT IN THERE I COULD CHARGE A HEAP TO YOSHIOKA-SAN AND THE REST
THANK YOU FOR WAITING

WILL THAT BE ALL...
No way, why do you have photos of my Brother
← Boss
You
What happened
HONDA-KU-N...
Loud
AH, I'M SORRY

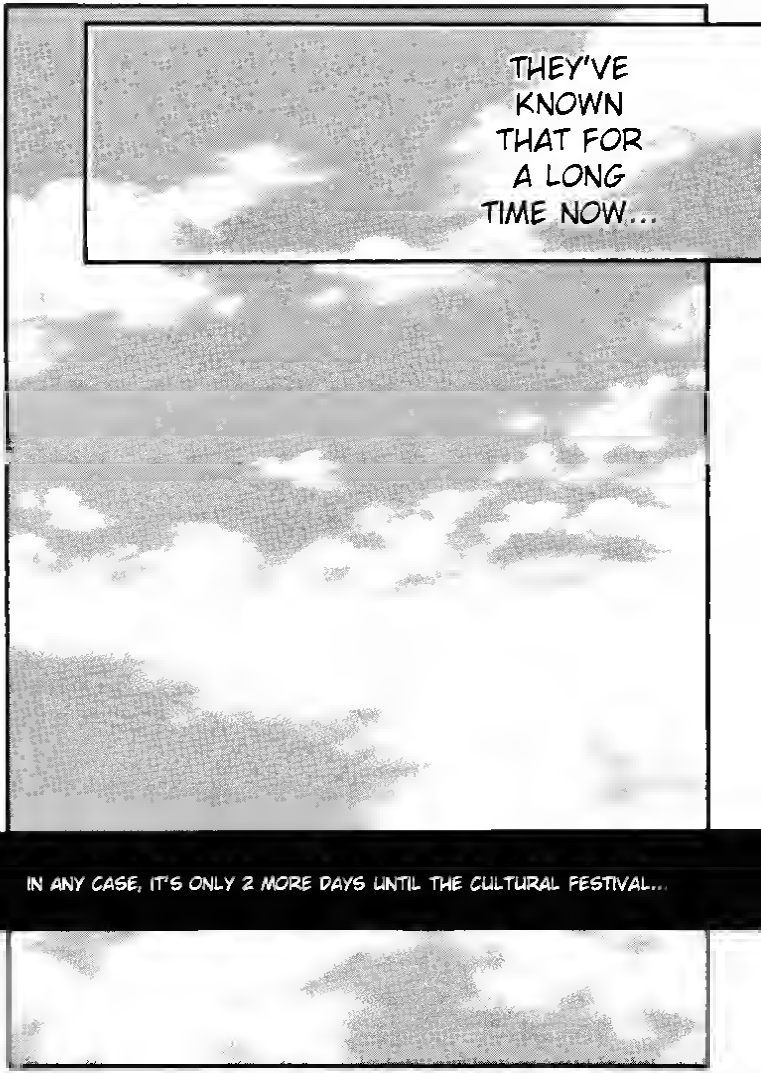


——————HONDA-KUN?

SO
WHAT ARE YOU GOING TO DO?
YOUR FATHER AND I CAN TAKE CARE OF THE CINEMA WELL ENOUGH BY OURSELVES
I WON'T HAND IT OVER TO YOU SO EASILY
"CHIAKI?"

I WAS THE ONE WHO GAVE HIM THE NAME CHIAKI ...
YURIKO-SAN CHOSE THE KANJI FOR IT THOUGH
YURIKO-SAN...
AH, CUT IT OUT ALREADY
HOW LONG ARE YOU GONNA SIT THERE WEEPING!
IT'S DEPR-ESSI-NG!
YOU'RE JUST LIKE YOUR FATHER IN THAT RESPECT
YOU DON'T TAKE AFTER ME AT ALL

TH... THAT'S IMPOSSIBLE
FOR STARTERS
GIVE YURIKO-SAN SOMETHING TO BE EVEN A LITTLE PROUD OF?
YOU SHOULD FIND A PART TIME JOB OR SOMETHING SOON
SO
THE FIRST SESSIONS WILL BE FINISHING IN A MINUTE
IF EMI AND CHIAKI KNEW WHAT I WAS REALLY LIKE THEY'D BE SEIZED BY DESPAIR
WHEN ARE YOU GOING TO STOP BEING AN IDIOT...


THEY'VE KNOWN THAT FOR A LONG TIME NOW...
IN ANY CASE, IT'S ONLY 2 MORE DAYS UNTIL THE CULTURAL FESTIVAL...

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Afterward

At any rate this is my first collected volume so it is also my first afterward (obviously) I'm a bit embarrassed so I'm writing this in tiny letters right down in the corner. Have you enjoyed it anyway? I can't hear anyone saying "Enjoyed it?! Are you an idiot!" But at the same time I'm vaguely sorry. So on and so on.
Thank you so much for letting me put out a book. I'm really, really grateful for this. Yes. Really.

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